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INSURGENTS

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e News:

Kong, June 17.--The severest and most important battle, since nihilation of the Spanish fleet, has taken place at Manila. One surgents attacked two thousand Spanish, inflicting heavy loss and ing an entrance to the city. The insurgents, under Aguinaldo, an ailor, and marines from Dewey's fleet. have completely surrounded oreign residents have fled to ships. Admiral Montejo and Gov- ral Augusti have placed the women, children and priests in forts

overnor, it is reported, will be willing to surrender to the Ameri- er to prevent the insurgents from capturing the capital, setting it killing Spaniards. The arch-bishop, however, is opposed to sur- has overruled the Governor. The success of the insurgents is The Spaniards taken prisoners in the two week's campaign, ag- ee thousand, including two thousand soldiers of the regular army. among them are Gens. Garcia and Cordoba. Governors of province ican and Batan were also made prisoners. Two million rounds of ere seized in the fortified Cathedral old Cavite. A large garrison e has surrendered, thus giving the insurgents command of the ntire bay. All interior sources of supply are now cut off from es at Manila. Americans can take Manila in twenty hours after f troops. The city is now at the mercy of the American fleet. uct during the blockade has been admirable. A great fire is of Manila. Insurgents have captured the water works from ty draws its supply.

REACHED SANTIAGO.

ief of the President and Cabinet to General Shafter.

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on, June 17.—The first troops on the transport almost certainly reached d it is probable that the gulars have by this time ittle handful of marines Calia. That is the belief ent and Cabinet, although ews yet to confirm it. eir knowledge on the time l Shafter's first division t. They expect to hear n at any time now, as he o communicate directly rtment over the repaired

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IN WASHINGTON.

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, June 17.—General nied by Col. Maus, Dr. Maj. Davis and his d to Washington this 0 o'clock. The general rd, came to the War d was in conference a e morning with Secre-

HAWAIIAN RESOLUTIONS

Reported Favorably to the Senate and Will be Pushed by Administration Senators.

Special to The News:

Washington, June 17.--The Hawaiian resolution was reported favorably to the senate and administration senators are arranging to hold all night sessions to push it through.

The debate on the Hawaiian resolution will begin tomorrow. The house, in committee of the whole, is considering the general deficiency bill.

SPANISH FLEET SIGHTED.

It is Off the North Coast of Africa, Sailing in an Easterly Direction.

Special to The News.

Gibralter, June 17.—A German steamer, just arrived, reports sighting the Spanish fleet off Ceuta, on the north coast of Africa. The warships were going in an easterly direction. Ceuta is seventeen miles from Gibralter.

OUR NATIONAL GAME.

The Winners Thursday Were! Boston, New York, Baltimore and Chicago --Others Postponed.

Innings:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Boston	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	*	2	9	0
Washington	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	2

Batteries—Nichols and Bergen; Weyhing and Maguire. Umpires—Lynch and Connolly.

Innings:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.	H.	E.
New York	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	5	*	11	9	2
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	7	2

Batteries—Seymour and Warner; Platt and McFarland. Umpires—Cushman and Heydler.

Innings:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	8	2
Baltimore	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	6	10	2

Batteries—Miller and Grim; Nops and Robinson. Umpires—McDonald and O'Day.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0	0	2	0	5	0	0	2	*	9	13	0
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	6

Batteries—Callahan and Chance; Hawley and Vaughn. Umpires—Emslie and Curry.

Cherrington Renominated.

CHILLICOTHE, O., June 17.—Judge Thomas W. Cherrington was Thursday renominated unanimously by the republicans of the Fourth judicial circuit for circuit judge.

ADMIRAL CERVERA

Cables That He Has Plenty of Provisions and That His Men are all in Good Health.

Special to The News:

Madrid, June 17.—Admiral Cervera and Gen. Linears cable that they have plenty of provisions and that their commands are in good health and can withstand a long seige. A cabinet official says he does not believe American troops have left Tampa. He does not believe that Manila has surrendered.

Paris, June 17—President Faure has requested M. Ribol to form a new cabnet.

INDICTED

Was Isaac Hartman For Murder at Akron---A Prominent

Coal Dealer at Toledo Becomes Insane —Another Murderer Indicted at London, Ohio.

Special to The News.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., June 17.—An agreement was reached late Thursday night between the iron manufacturers and the wage committee of the Amalgamated association on practically the present rate of $4.a ton on a one cent card rate for puddling and the present finishers' scale. About 25,000 men are affected by this decision. The minor changes affect the rules. The new year commences on July 1.

Horton State Bacteriologist.

COLUMBUS, O., June 17.—Edward Horton, of Philadelphia, has been appointed state bacteriologist by the state board of health, to have charge of the state laboratory, the establishment of which was authorized by the legislature this spring. B. F. Flynn, of Columbus, was given charge of the work of examining the water supplies of Ohio cities.

Stunned at a Funeral.

ALLIANCE, O., June 17.—During the funeral services over Louis Franz, at Harrisburg, near here Wednesday, the house was struck by lightning. The house was filled with people and several were stunned and one woman badly burned on the arm. The electric bolt disappeared near the casket. A panic ensued.

Injured by a Runaway.

BELLEFONTAINE, O., June 17.—A horse hitched on Patterson avenue broke loose and ran away, colliding with a buggy in which Dorr Rea and William Randall were riding. The vehicle was completely demolished and both men injured, Randall severely.

Found Guilty.

COLUMBUS, O., June 17.—The jury in the United States court Thursday found Harry M. Clark, the bank cashier, guilty of making false entries. Sentence was suspended until a motion for a new trial can be disposed of next Saturday. He is still out on bond

Released on Habeas Corpus.

BELLEFONTAINE, O., June 17.—Frank Legg, who on June 4 shot Frank Berry in Huntsville, has been released from jail on a writ of habeas corpus, on account of the omission of the words "with intent to kill" from the commitment papers.

Indicted for First Degree Murder.

LONDON, O., June 17.—A special grand jury Thursday morning brought in an indictment for first degree murder against Chas. Selsor, who shot and killed Otis Lucas at South Solon last Saturday night. The case will be tried this term.

Bitten By a Rattler.

SPRINGFIELD, O., June 17.—William Wiley, a farmer living near Catawba, this county, was bitten by a rattlesnake last Saturday. His body, legs and arms are badly swollen and spotted, and it is feared he will die.

Adjudged Insane.

TOLEDO, O., June 17.—Addison S. Bement, who has been a leading coal dealer here for years, was adjudged insane Thursday night. Business reverses are responsible for Mr. Bement's condition.

Banner Day at the State Fair.

ZANESVILLE, O., June 17.—Thursday was the banner day of the state fair, and over 5,000 visitors were in this city from Canton, Newark, Mansfield, Marietta and intermediate points.

CHICAGO, June 17.—At 12:10 o'clock Friday morning a fire broke out in a part of the Armour packing house in the stockyards and a general alarm was sent in. The building in which the fire started was gutted and the flames have spread to the adjoining paint shop.

THE PRISONERS LYNCHED.

An Alabama Mob Succeeds in Their Dire Purpose of Vengeance.

Special to the News.

Montgomery, Ala., June 17.—News from Watumpka, says that the four prisoners taken from the jail there last night, were lynched this morning at a point ten miles from town and three miles from the scene of the crime. Troops did not succeed in locating prisoners.

HOSPITAL SHIPS

Ordered to Guantanamo and Will Leave New York at Once.

Special to The News.

Washington, June 17.—Orders were issued this morning for the army hospital ships of relief at New York to go to Guantanamo. They will leave at once.

USEFUL

Lessons Taught to Our Officers and Men at Guantanamo.

Our Camps Must Be Well Built, as Much so to Prevent Night Attacks as Though in the Wild West.

Special to the News:

GUANTANAMO CAY, June 14., via Kingston, Jamaica, June 17.—However unpleasant the experience or unjustified by precedent, the landing of a small detachment of marines, mostly raw men, in the enemy's country, has taught some lessons to the officers here, and possibly also to the authorities at Washington.

It has shown the Spaniards to be daring bush fighters and it has proved that every American camp must be compactly built and as well protected to resist night attacks as though in the Apache country. It has developed several small defects in the navy guns under service conditions and it has shown that, given a free rein with repeating rifles, 500 nervous troops can waste 10,000 rounds of ammunition, killing shadows, in a single night and not think even then that they have done much shooting.

Though the 16 Spaniards found by Lieut. Nevill's men wore regular uniforms, most of those seen in the daylight attacks wore scarcely anything except big plaintain leaves bound around their foreheads in lieu of hats. This act was an effective disguise in the bush. Others, stripped to a pair of dirt colored trousers, tied branches around their waists, reaching shoulders high and, moving very cautiously, they could even cross open ground without being detected, though some of them were caught at the game.

Another trick was to make a moving screen of two or three big palm leaves, almost impossible to detect where stunted palm everywhere rises out of the chapparal.

The Cuban auxilaries were most useful in pointing out the tricks. There are 60 of these now in camp, mostly Negroes with Cuban officers. They are hawk-eyed woodsmen breaking even with the Spaniards in every device of bush-craft. The American marines, at first, were inclined to discount this. But Thursday morning they spoke enthusiastically of auxiliaries for their daring. At night, in skirmish time, the marines say the Cuban auxiliaries go through the brush like rabbits. Their chief fault, however, is their reckless handling of the new magazine rifles.

Forts at Caimanera Demolished.

CAMP MCCALLA, Guantanamo Bay, via Kingston, Jamaica, June 17.—The brick forts and earthworks at Caimanera, at the end of the railroad leading to the city of Guantanamo, were demolished Wednesday by the bombardment of the Texas, Marblehead and Suwanee. The warships opened fire at 2 p. m. and the bombardment lasted one hour and thirty minutes.

Cable Between Santiago and Guantanamo Cut.

MADRID, June 17.—Gen. Correa, minister of war, announces that telegraphic connection with Santiago and Guantanamo has been broken. The government is consequently without news as to whether the Americans landed at either of those places.

Dewey Will Not Allow Interference.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Washington advices say that Adm. Dewey will not allow interference at Manila by Germany or any other foreign power, and should such be attempted a battle will result.

BOMBARDMENT.

Sampson's Fleet Still Pounding the Batteries at the Mouth of Santiago Harbor.

ONLY EL MORRO FORT WAS SPARED—DYNAMITE

Cruiser Vesuvius Was Given Another Chance and Did Great Damage—Work of Cubans—Their Reinforcement of American Marines at Guantanamo Praised.

Special to The News.

OFF SANTIAGO DE CUBA, June 15, via Kingston, Jamaica, June 17.—Rr. Adm. Sampson's fleet bombarded the batteries at Santiago de Cuba for the third time at daylight this morning. For hours the ships pounded the batteries at the right and left of the entrance, only sparing El Morro, where Lieut. Hobson and his companions of the Merrimac are in prison.

The western batteries, against which the main assault was directed, were badly wrecked. One was utterly destroyed. In others many guns were dismounted.

At first the Spaniards answered passionately and wildly, but impotently. Then most of the guns were deserted. Not a ship was struck, nor a man injured on the American side.

It is believed that the enemy's loss of life was heavy.

As a preliminary to the hammering given the batteries, the dynamite cruiser Vesuvius last night at midnight was given another chance. Three 250 pound charges of gun cotton were sent over the fortifications at the entrance. The design was to drop them in the bay, around the angle back of the eminence on which El Morro is situated, where it was known that the Spanish torpedo boat destroyers were lying. Two charges went true, as no reports were heard—a peculiarity of the explosion of gun-cotton in water. Whether the destroyers were demolished is not known but the destructive area of gun cotton is large and it would not be surprising if it is subsequently ascertained that one or both were destroyed.

The third charge exploded with terrific violence on Cayo Smith. From where the fleet lay the entrance to the harbor looked, in the black night, like a door opening into a livid fire of a Titanic furnace. A crater big enough to hold a church was blown out of the side of the Cayo Smith and was clearly seen from the ships this morning.

Adm. Sampson issued the orders for the bombardment last night. Coffee was served to the men at half-past three this morning and with the first blush of dawn the men were called quietly to quarters. The ships steamed in five-knot speed to a 3,000 yards range, when they closed up, broadside on, until a distance of three cable lengths separated them. They were strung out in the form of a crescent, the heavy fighting ships in the center, the flagship on the right flank and the Massachusetts on the left flank. The line remained stationary throughout the bombardment. The Vixen and Scorpion took up positions on opposite flanks, close in shore for the purpose of enfilading any infantry that might fire upon the ships.

Fifteen minutes later at 5:25 a. m. the New York opened with a broadside from her main battery at the works on the east of the entrance to the harbor. All the ships followed in red streaks of flame. The fleet, enveloped in smoke, pelted the hills and kicks up dirt and masonry. It was a magnificent spectacle from where the Dauntless lay. Though the gun captains had been cautioned not to waste ammunition but to fire with deliberation, the fire was so rapid that there was an almost continuous report. The measured crash of the big 13-inch guns of the battle ships sounded above the rattle of the guns of the secondary batteries like thunder claps above the din of a hurricane. A strong land breeze off the shore carried the smoke of the ships seaward, while it let down a thick curtain in front of the Spanish gunners.

The dons responded spiritedly at first, but their frenzied, half crazed fire could not match the cool nerve trained eyes and skilled gunnery of the American sailors. Our fire was much more effective than in preceding bombardments. The admiral's ordnance expert had given explicit directions to reduce the powder charges and to elevate the guns, so as to shorten the trajectory and thus to secure a plunging fire. As the shells in the preceding bombardments dropped with the almost straight trajectories of projectiles with full charges, it was almost impossible to plant them. They would shoot into the air, encircling the batteries owing to the high elevation, and fall far over the fortifications, the effect of the reduced charges was marvelous. In 15 minutes one western battery was completely wrecked. The Massachusetts tore a gaping hole in the emplacement with a thousand pound projectile and the Texas dropped a shell into the powder magazine. The explosion wrought terrible havoc.

The frame was lifted, the sides were blown out and a shower of debris flew in every direction. One timber, carried out of the side of the battery, went tumbling down the hill. The loss of life must have been great.

The batteries on the east of Morro were harder to get at, but the New Orleans crossed the bows of the New York to within 500 yards of shore and played a tattoo with her long eight-inch rifles, hitting them repeatedly, striking a gun squarely muzzle-on, lifting it off its trunions and sending it sweeping somersaults high in the air.

The destruction and death at the western batteries must have been appalling. Many of the guns had been mounted during the last two days. From this it is inferred that Adm. Cervera had given up all hope of extracting himself from the trap in which he is caught and had removed the guns from some of his ships to strengthen the land defenses.

Special to The News.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The work of the Cubans in reinforcing the marines at Guantanamo and particularly in occupying Acerraderos is receiving unstinted praise from officials here. Secretary Quesada and the Cuban officials also take much satisfaction in these reports. Mr. Quesada said Thursday that the Cubans had not seen it fit to reply to criticism current during the last few weeks as to the ineffectiveness of the Cuban soldiers, as they knew the criticisms were due to an ignorance of the careful plans, largely matured at Washington, by which the Cuban forces were to execute their part of a well considered programme.

"But now that the Cuban flag is floating over Acerraderos," continued Mr. Quesada, "all the criticisms are answered. Acerraderos is about 15 or 20 miles west of Santiago and is the port for the great iron and copper mines of that locality. It should not be confounded with Aquadores, another suburban town to the southeast of Santiago. But it is even more important, from a strategic standpoint, than Aquadores, as it has exceptional landing facilities.

"The achievement of Gen. Rabi in making a forced march from Bayamo is characteristic of the dash and military genius of that officer. He is chief of staff to Garcia, and has the rank of general of a division, which is midway between your brigadier general and major general. He is about 45 years old, tall, thin and muscular, and knows no fear. He takes pride in the fact that he is partly of Indian descent, and he has the natural fighting capacity of an Indian. He made a name for himself during the last Cuban war, and soon took high rank when the present war broke out. When Gen. Martinez Campos thought to make short work of the present war, he led the Spanish forces to Saodel Indio, Cacacao and Peralejo, where he met Gen. Rabi with a Cuban army smaller than that of Campos. But in each of those notable engagements Rabi outgeneraled Martinez Campos, the recognized military genius of Spain. It led Campos himself to declare that in Rabi he had met a soldier worthy of his best efforts.

"In occupying Acerraderos Gen. Rabi had with him about 1,000 men, while Garcia is coming up with 5,000 to 6,000 more Cubans. The march of Rabi can hardly be appreciated by any one not familiar with the mountains, swamps and tangled tropical vegetation through which he pushed his way from Bayamo to Acerraderos. It is exceedingly gratifying to Cubans that Adm. Sampson should immediately recognize this movement, and should officially report in such complimentary terms to the navy department."

WHEAT GOES DOWN.

Chicago, June 17.—July wheat lost 3 3-4 cts. today, closing at 75 1-2 cts.; corn 31 7-8, a 2 1-2 ct. loss; oats closed at 23 7-8 cts., a loss of over a cent; pork, September, $9.94; lard $5.75; ribs $5.45, a 5c. loss.

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TO SELECT NURSES.

Lofty Mission Intrusted to Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee.

The Dorothea Dix of the Spanish-American War—Some of the Qualifications Which the Applicants Must Possess.

For the first time in the history of the United States women are being enlisted in the military service. Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee, a patriotic Washington woman, has just been charged with the selection of all of the war nurses for the government during its present conflict. She is the Dorothea Dix of the Spanish-American war. The surgeons general of the army and navy regard her office as a branch bureau of their departments, though in reality it has no official connection with the government, except in a volunteer capacity.

Although it was positively announced at the beginning of the war that neither the army nor the navy would enlist any women nurses for war service, the plans, says the New York Herald, have just been changed, and Dr. McGee is fast supplying women to take care of our brave boys in the hospitals at Key West, Atlanta and the hospital ship lately fitted out at New York. There were women nurses in the late war, but they were not enlisted in the military service, being paid from the unofficial funds of the sanitary commission. They received but $12 a month in reward for their tender services, whereas those who will nurse the wounded of the present war will get the full nurse's pay of $30 a month.

Dr. McGee impresses one as being the ideal woman to rank at the head of the war's "angels of mercy." She is young and charming, possessing unusual magnetism, vivacity and gift of language. Moreover, she has the blood of patriots coursing in her veins, being able to boast of three revolutionary ancestors, the best known of whom, perhaps, was Gen. John Bull, who defended Philadelphia during our struggle for liberty.

DR. ANITA NEWCOMB M'GEE.
(Charged with the Selection of All War Nurses.)

She has pursued special courses of study abroad at Cambridge, the University of Geneva and elsewhere on the continent.

Returning to this country, she equipped herself for the sciences, and studied medicine at Columbia and Johns Hopkins. She is the daughter of Prof. Simon Newcomb, the great astronomer, who has been more honored abroad than any other of our American scientists, and is the wife of Prof. W. J. McGee, the well-known ethnologist and geologist. She is one of the vice presidents general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, having been previously elected surgeon-general and librarian-general of that society.

Only surgical nurses are being called for, since women trained in the care of general diseases would have practically nothing to do in wards filled with men mangled by shot and shell. Although during the last war Miss Dix, who performed the duties now conferred upon Dr. McGee, refused to appoint women who were prepossessing in appearance, no such regulation has been made for this war, and our brave boys may hope to be inspired to strength by woman's comeliness as well as healed by her tender skill.

Great care is being taken, however, to select only women of the very highest moral character, and to insure this individual members of the Daughters of the American Revolution are cooperating in all of the states.

These war nurses will be uniformed in white dresses, caps and aprons. Each will wear a badge in the form of a red cross of enamel, surrounded by a circle of blue enamel. Upon the cross will be inscribed "Hospital Corps," and along the blue circle, "Daughters of the American Revolution." Upon each apron will be neatly stenciled the wheel insignia of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

No women nurses will be sent to Cuba. If any are delegated to field hospitals they will do service only in this country. Of course, none will be permitted aboard any of the naval vessels, since the gentler sex are forbidden quarters on all ships in action.

Twenty-five nurses will be attached to each regiment in the field, and if all of these nurses are to be graduates of training schools a great many of them must be women. Many of the women who have already volunteered are doctors of medicine willing to perform any duties, and some are sisters of charity.

Our War with Mexico.

The whole number of men in the war with Mexico was 101,282, including regulars and volunteers. The war lasted about two years. Some pretty lively fights were made, notably Resaca de la Palma, Buena Vista and the assaults of Chepultapec and other outworks of the Mexican capital. Yet the casualties were comparatively trifling. Killed in battle, 1,049, died of wounds, 667, total, 1,657. Less by about one hundred than the federal loss at the battle of Chickamauga.

BUILT OF MARBLE.

A Boom Town in Canada That Is Now Deserted.

"I was assistant engineer on the Ontario & Quebec railroad, a branch of the Canadian Pacific railway," said an engineer in Tacoma, "and in running our preliminary lines one of them touched Bridgewater, Ontario, a deserted town that was the personification of Oliver Goldsmith's 'Deserted Village.' Bridgewater was brought into existence by one of the strangest gold finds and crazes in the history of this continent.

"Nearly 25 years ago a farmer's wife was searching the woods surrounding their farm for a sow that had strayed, and, becoming thirsty, stopped to get a drink from the spring. Slipping she fell against a small, loose rock, which rolled to her feet, and which proved to be a twenty-pound nugget of almost pure gold. Bridgewater at that time was almost 40 miles from the nearest railroad, and the present site of the town was nothing but a wilderness, but the effect of that accidental find of the farmer's wife was such that inside of six months what had been a burned over barren wilderness was converted into a substantial city of nearly 5,000 people.

"In digging a shaft about a mile south of the town site, on the claim of Billia Flint, a life senator of Canada, an immense quarry of the purest white marble ever found on this continent was discovered, and, at the suggestion of the senator, the town of Bridgeport was practically built of marble, for it has to-day the only hotel, church, school, courthouse and private dwellings constructed entirely of white marble in the world, and a mile north of the town are an abandoned ax factory and grist mill whose foundations are built of the same beautiful material.

"During the building of the town thousands of men prospected the entire country, and shafts and tunnels were driven—some of them nearly 100 feet, but, strange as it may seem, there was never enough gold found to pay the cost of a single shaft or tunnel sunk or run in the entire district. So excited did the farmers around Bridgewater become that some of them actually hired guards to keep them from going on their land to pick up gold. Pat Kehoe, an old Irishman, who owned 100 acres of rock-strewn, barren land, was offered $125,000 for his holding, but held out for $150,000. To-day you could buy the property for probably $150.

"One rancher, whose farm adjoined 'Aladdin's Cave,' the place where the original nugget was found, sold five acres to an English syndicate for $100,000, and it is an established fact that the syndicate spent as much more developing their claim, as everything was very costly, all material having to be hauled nearly 50 miles, over rough roads, and they did not get a single ounce of free gold out of their purchase, but they mined some quartz—about 100 tons—shipped it to the states, and, in return, got a bill from the smelting company for $360 for smelting charges over and above the gold in the quartz. This was the first, and I believe the last, shipment of quartz ever made, as the cost of hauling, shipping and smelting was $150 a ton more than the rock produced."—Portland Oregonian.

A GERMAN WOMAN'S RIGHTS.

At Her Marriage She Gives Up Her Whole Independence.

Germany and Japan are the only civilized countries at the present day where the rights of women are restricted. In all civilized communities everyone is supposed to have rights, but, nevertheless, in these two countries the legal rights of women are hard to find.

In Germany a woman cannot control property, or, indeed, her own actions, for whatever property she has acquired in any way belongs to her father, her husband or her son, and the law requires that she should obey their orders. When a German woman marries she gives up the whole of her independence, if she can ever be said to have any, and confers on her husband absolute power over her. He can compel her to work and do anything which it is lawful for women to do, and she has no relief or protection, should he prove harsh and unkind, except public opinion. Whatever property she has at her marriage becomes absolutely her husband's and forever. He has power to dispose of it exactly as he sees fit, even in the face of her opposition, and in case of the couple being divorced, the woman's property still remains with the husband. Some of the English and American girls who have married German nobles have afterwards learned to their sorrow how different the laws regarding women and women's property are in the Fatherland from what they are in their own countries. German women, as a rule, however, seem contented in spite of antiquated laws.

Wear Spurs With Full Dress.

The officers of the Swedish navy are considered military officers, and in full dress must wear spurs.

SCIENCE NOTES.

Leuenhoeck says that the common caterpillar has not less than 2000 muscles.

Ornithologists have discovered that crows have no less than 27 cries, each distinctly referable to a different action.

If the earth were not enveloped with atmosphere, the temperature on the surface would be about 330 degrees Fahrenheit below zero.

Probably the only inland body of water in the extreme north which does not freeze in winter is Lake Salaurk, near Dawson City, Alaska. Though it is not known to have any connection with the sea, the water of the lake rises and falls simultaneously with the tides of the Arctic ocean.

In the cold waters the sea animals are dwarfed in size, somewhat as we find them in high mountain regions. It is said that the star fish will grow as large as a pudding plate when the conditions are favorable, but not larger than a silver dollar in the cold current of the Atlantic, which flows southward.

The very first living thing to appear upon the surface of our globe, in other words, the earliest distinctly organized animal whose fossilized remains are found in the rocks which go to make up the earth's crust, was a three-lobed worm called a trilobite. According to the geologists, it was the first created being that had a distinct animal organization.

A writer in Knowledge makes a vivid picture of the great belt of clouds, some 300 miles in breadth, which surrounds the earth a little north of the equator. Within this belt rain almost incessantly falls, sometimes in sheets, and the wind seldom stirs. Before the invention of steamships, vessels becalmed in the "cloud belt" sometimes drifted helpless for weeks.

IN OTHER LANDS.

Aberdeen terriers are driving out all other fashionable pet dogs in London.

Dr. James Martineau is still alive and writing long letters at the age of 93 years.

After the rinderpest the locusts have come to South Africa, and trains are now being stopped by them.

Prince Edward of York has been breeched. He now wears a sailor suit with pockets. His curls have been cut off.

Dr. Oskar Paul, the musical historian and professor of music at Leipzig university, died recently at the age of 62 years.

Mr. Robert Taylor, the centenarian postmaster of Scurra, county Down, it is now stated, is 134 and not 114 years of age.

Vienna has a bicycling female monkey at the Zoological gardens in the Prater. It is a trick rider, and has learned everything by watching men.

A Teplitz old lady of 99 has committed suicide by holding her head down in a tub of water because she did not want to live to be 100 years old.

Joachim, the violinist, was called in as an expert in a Berlin police court to decide whether a $1.25 violin could really be played on. He said it could and proved it.

In one day's record of English shipping casualties damage was reported to have happened to the Sir Francis Drake, the Nelson, the Lord Beresford, the Lord Wolseley and the John Bright.

THINGS TO BE REMEMBERED.

Sharpen all kinds of fish sauce with lemon juice.

When using vanilla for flavoring add half a teaspoonful of peach extract.

A dash of black pepper greatly improves vanilla ice cream.

Put sugar in water used for basting meats of all kinds; it adds a flavor, especially to veal.

When making crab apple jelly put in some stick cinnamon and a little lemon.

When baking fish place on top thin slices of salt pork; it basts the fish and improves the flavor.

Add a cupful of good cider vinegar to the water in which you boil fish, especially if it is a salt fish.

To give an appetising flavor to a broiled beefsteak rub a cut onion over the hot platter with the butter.

Chocolate is greatly improved by adding a teacupful of strong coffee just before serving; a teaspoonful of sherry also helps.

Three tablespoonfuls of freshly-made Japan tea with a pinch of nutmeg imparts an indescribable flavor to apple pie.

To improve sweetbreads and give them a fine flavor, soak them in mild lemon juice water an hour, and then boil 20 minutes in beef stock.—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

BELLIGERENT JOKES.

Give the devil his due, and the Spaniard his Dewey.—Truth.

The late Spanish fleet: "Since I was so quickly done for I wonder what I was begun for!"

Newsboy (in Madrid)—"Great naval victory! Great naval victory!" Stranger—"A victory for Spain—where?" Newsboy—"At Puerto Rico, senor. We have just discovered one of our ships got away."—Town Topics.

"I wundah," said Col. Stillwell, "if there ahe any Kentucky gentlemen on that bo'd of strategy." "What has that question to do with the case?" "Well, suh, I understand they have Admiral Cervera bottled up. But there seems to be some difficulty about findin' a cawk-screw."—Washington Star.

Grace—"My brother Tom says this war business is likely to make men scarcer than ever at the seashore this summer." Mabel—"Oh, pshaw, I don't believe it. I've never seen a man at the seashore yet that would be likely to go to war under any circumstances."—Chicago Daily News.

MAGIC PHOTOGRAPHS.

Process for Making a Picture Appear on an Apparently Blank Paper.

A magic photograph is a photograph which can be made to appear on an apparently blank piece of paper. The process of making it is as follows: Make a photographic print on a piece of albumen paper, printing it the exact tone desired in the finished print. Wash for two or three minutes, and place, without toning, in the fixing bath, composed of one ounce of hypo and eight ounces of water. Leave the print in the fixing bath for five minutes, wash thoroughly, then place it in a saturated solution of bichloride of mercury until the picture has entirely disappeared. Leave it in this solution just long enough to bleach out the print, then wash and dry as for other prints. The paper now appears perfectly white, but it contains a latent or invisible image. The magic by which the picture is made to appear is the action of hyposulphite of soda. Soak a piece of clean blotting paper in a saturated solution of hyposulphite of soda and dry. When it is desired to make the picture appear, moisten the blotting paper slightly, and place the picture on it face down, rubbing it to insure perfect contact. In a minute or two the picture will begin to show, and will soon be as bright and clear as when first printed. When one wishes to show this magic photograph, it is more surprising to the uninitiated if the blotting paper has been moistened and placed inside a book. Show the apparently blank piece of paper, slip it in the book next the blotter, shut the book tightly, and in a minute or two take it out, and what was to all appearance a piece of plain white paper will be found to have a picture printed on it. The picture will disappear after being exposed to the light for some time, but it can be made to reappear indefinitely.—Harpers' Round Table.

SEASONS IN THE TROPICS.

There Are No Sudden Changes in This Hottest of Hot Climates.

From the middle of March till early in June the heat grows gradually terrific till it gets to be unbearable. This climax happens about the middle of May; then you go on bearing it two or thee weeks longer. The heat flies about in zigzags, the ground flies up to meet it, and together they make your head swim. Hot and dry, dry and hot; no rain, yet not a drought, because it never does rain at that time of year. It doesn't know how. In the hot weather it is only hot. In the rainy season it only rains. There are no postponements on account of the weather—at that time. There are no sudden changes, for the same reason. There is comfort in these thoughts. You put your umbrella away in camphor in September, knowing that you will not require it again for eight months at least. And you "tin" your ribbons, silks and kid gloves hermetically in May, away from mildew, knowing that you will not see them again before October. There are no barometrical surprises for the dweller in the tropics. There is no starting on a picnic in the distant woods, full of life and spirits, at nine o'clock in the morning, in a light muslin dress and straw hat decked with roses, with a teeth-chattering return at 4:30 o'clock, the muslin soaked with rain and then frozen on you, rills of pink from the saturated roses adorning your nose. You may come home in Manila with your gay blue muslin faded out white, but it has not been rained or snowed on, and your feet are dryer and hotter than when you set forth on them. But then, you don't go much on picnics in the tropics. Too many snakes.

A GHOST LAYER.

He Claimed to Rid Mansions and Castles of Evil Spirits.

Here is a curious advertisement. It was published over a hundred years ago: Haunted Houses.—Whereas there are mansions and castles in England and Wales, which have for many years been uninhabited and are now falling to decay, by their being haunted and visited by evil spirits, or the spirits of those who for unknown reasons are rendered miserable even in the grave, a gentleman who has made the tour of Europe, of a particular turn of mind and deeply skilled in the abstruse and sacred science of Exorcism, hereby offers his assistance to any owner or proprietor of such premises, and undertakes to render the same free from the visitation of such spirits, be their cause what it may, and render them tenantable and useful to the proprietors. Letters addressed to the Rev. John Jones, No. 30 Martin's lane, duly answered, and an interview given if required.

N. B. Rooms rendered habitable in six days.

She Wanted to Know the Assay.

The Fair One—I suppose you will marry, though, when the golden opportunity offers, won't you?

The Cautious One—It will depend upon how much gold there is in the opportunity.—Stray Stories.

PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS —CARDS.—

HOTELS.

Florentine Hotel, opposite C., H. & D. depot. Hotel and Restaurant. Popular prices. 25 elegantly furnished rooms.

The New Cambridge, opp. P. Ft. W. & C., C. H. & D., L. E. & W. and Lima Northern stations. A. S. Manhard, Prop. Popular prices.

The Harrod, E. Market street, Lima, Ohio. Open all hours. Rates, $2. Steam heat and electric lights. J. W. H. Attleberger, Propr.

INSURANCE.

C. F. Kemmer & Co., General Insurance Agents, room 1 Wise Block, Lima, O.

LIVERY AND TRANSFER.

J. C. Musser, Livery, Hack and Transfer line. No. 19 southwest corner Public Square. Telephone 46, both lines.

DENTISTS.

Dr. McIndoe fills teeth painlessly by electricity. Both 'phones. Cincinnati Block.

PIANO TEACHERS.

Lynn B. Dana, Teacher of Piano and Theory. Studio, rooms 11 and 12, over City Book Store.

PIANO TUNERS.

C. F. Woolery, tuner and repairer of pianos. Satisfaction guaranteed. 331 North Main.

Five hundred stoves wanted to store by the City Truck and Storage House. Household goods moved. E. Stickney, 436 S. Main street. New 'phone 306.

TAILORS.

Amos Brown, Merchant Tailor, Kendall Block. You know the rest.

Joseph Bletzacker, Merchant Tailor, rooms 8 and 9 Satterthwaite block, for your spring suit or trousers.

J. W. McDonald, the Tailor. Telephone for Contatorium. No. 405 N. Main street.

Call on the Lima Ice & Coal Company for Pure Spring Water Ice. 'Phones 164 or 451.

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Neatly done by John Reuthe, at 113 East North Street, Lima, Ohio.

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Ches. Tucker, Watchmaker. Watches Clocks and Jewelry repaired. No. 111 East High, opp. Hoover Bros.

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P. A. Kahle, Attorney at Law. Room 1, Collins Block, northwest corner Public Square, Lima O.

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The Commercial Bank, Samuel A. Baxter & Sons, Lima, Ohio. Bonds, Mortgages, Investments. General Banking.

CHEAP CASH GROCERY.

We have a nice stock of staple and fancy groceries at lowest prices. Country produce a specialty. Give us a call. Tabler & Zimmerman, 301 South Main street. 'Phone 19.

DAIRY STATIONS.

J. H. Berryman, dairy products of all kinds. Free delivery. New 'Phone 155. 109 West Market street.

Milk Station and Country Produce. Everything freshest and best. Lowest cash prices guaranteed. Good country butter a specialty. H. S. Tidd, 208 East North St. 2-11m2

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It is always the best. It needs no false claims to attract attention to it.

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Dr. A. F. Knisely, Eye, Ear and Throat Surgeon, rooms 3 and 4, Cincinnati Block, Lima, Ohio. Bell Telephone 482. No charge for examination.

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Highest prices paid for second hand furniture, carpets, stoves, watches and jewelry and cast-off Gents' clothing. Bargains in second hand goods and safes at 128 east Market St. Give me a call and be convinced. A. R. Atkinson.

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Geo. R. Christia, manufacturer and refinisher of Men's Hats. Silk Hats remodeled. Silk and Stiff Hats to order. 127 E. High st.

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LOCAL TIME CARD.

C., H. & D. R. R.

In effect Nov. 28, 1897, at 4:45 o'clock a. m.

No.			
	SOUTH.		
7	arrives daily		2:27 a m
7	leaves "		2:32 a m
11	" "	except Sunday	5:45 a m
1	arrives "	" " "	9:15 a m
1	leaves "	" " "	9:41 a m
5	arrives "		12:20 p m
5	leaves "		12:35 p m
3	arrives "		4:00 p m
3	leaves "		4:05 p m
13	arrives "	except Sunday	9:25 p m
61	Sunday only, leaves		7:40 a m
	NORTH.		
2	arrives daily, except Sunday		8:30 a m
2	leaves " " "		8:35 a m
14	leaves " " "		5:55 a m
6	arrives "		12:25 p m
6	leaves "		12:40 p m
4	arrives "	except Sunday	4:25 p m
4	leaves " " "		4:35 p m
10	arrives " " "		9:00 p m
12	arrives "		1:25 a m
12	leaves "		1:35 a m
60	Sunday only, arrives		7:40 a m
62	" " leaves		7:45 a m
62	" " arrives		10:20 p m

P., Ft. W. & C. R. R

New Time Card, taking Effect March 6, 1898.

No.		
	EAST FROM LIMA.	
4.	Daily	7:35 a m
6.	Daily	8:20 a m
26.	Daily except Sunday	11:25 a m
20.	Daily except Sunday	3:15 p m
8.	Daily	9:30 p m
2.	Daily	10:50 p m
	WEST FROM LIMA	
15.	Daily	2:10 a m
5.	Daily	3:38 a m
35.	Daily except Sunday	9:50 a m
9.	Daily	2:50 p m
35.	Daily except Sunday	6:10 p m

L. E. & W. R. R.

In effect Sept. 5, 1897

No.		
	WEST.	
1	arrives	9:40 a m
1	depart	9:50 a m
3	arrives	2:25 a m
3	depart	2:45 a m
5	arrives	4:45 p m
129	Minster accommodat'n, leaves	4:50 p m
	EAST.	
6	leaves	7:20 a m
4	arrives	1:25 p m
4	leaves	1:45 p m
2	arrives	7:15 p m
2	leaves	7:30 p m
128	Minster accommodn'n, arrives	3:10 p m

D. & L. N R. R.

No.		
	GOING NORTH.	
6	Vestibuled express, daily ex. Sun.	11:30 a.m
2	Daily	6:15 a.m
8	leaves daily, Napoleon and Bellefontaine accommodation	6:43 p.m
	GOING SOUTH.	
8	leaves daily, Napoleon and Bellefontaine accommodation	7:45 a.m
1	Daily ex. Sunday	1:22 p.m
3	Express, daily ex. Sunday	7:45 p.m
7	Sunday only	12:20 a.m

ERIE R. R.

In effect Nov. 28, 1897.

No.	WEST.	DEPART.
5	Vestibule limited, daily for Chicago and the West	11:25 a m
3	Pacific express, daily for Chicago and the West	1:15 a m
1	Express, daily except Sunday, for Chicago and the West	9:10 a m
21	Local freight, daily ex. Sunday	7:00 a m
13	Wells-Fargo lim'd express, daily except Monday	4:50 p m
	EAST.	
8	Vestibule limited, daily for New York and Boston	9:02 p m
2	Express, daily except Sunday	3:30 p m
12	Express, daily for New York	3:49 a m
22	Local freight, daily ex. Sunday	7:00 a m

OHIO SOUTHERN R. R.

In effect May 23, 1898.

TRAINS SOUTH.	TRAINS NORTH.
No. 1 leaves 5:45 a m	No. 2 arrives 11:05 a m
No. 3 leaves 3:30 p m	No. 4 arrives 9:30 p m

Trains Nos. 1 and 3, leaving Lima at 5:45 a. m. and 3:30 p. m., make direct connections for all points south and southeast. Baggage checked through from any residence in Lima to any point on or reached via the Ohio Southern. For further information as to rates, etc., call up city office, 75 Public Square. Telephone 69.

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We have a large amount of Money to Loan on Improved Real Estate (Farm or City) at 5 to 7 per cent. interest. Borrower can pay part or all of principal at any time. Interest stops on amount paid at that date; you pay interest on amount of principal you still have, no more. You are not compelled to pay any stipulated amount on principal monthly. No Building and Loan plan in ours. You will find our terms reasonable. When we tell you we can get you a loan you may depend upon getting it very soon. No delays or disappointments.
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At the Very Lowest Rate of Interest and on Short Notice. We have a large amount of money to loan on long time, in sums of $500 and upwards, on city property and improved farm lands, with privilege of paying part or all at any interest paying day. Persons wishing Cheap Money on Easy Terms will find it will be to their interest to call City Property, Vacant Lots and Farms for sale on Small Payments.
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Rooms Nos. 2 and 8 Holmes Block, Lima, O.

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AT 6 PER CENT. in sums of $300 up, on FARM LANDS AND CITY PROPERTY. Loans made for long time, with privilege of paying all, or part, at any interest day. LOANS MADE AT ONCE. Call on us when you want CHEAP money on EASY terms.
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Rooms 1 and 2 Metropolitan Block, LIMA.
D. C. HENDERSON, Attorney.

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In sums of $100,00 and upward on long time, improved city and farm property, at low rate of interest. Building loans made. Loans can be made upon the monthly plan if desired. No delay. See us before leaving your application elsewhere.
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COMMITTEE MEETING.

ance with the call of the State Central Committee formity with a resolution 7th day of June, 1898, by can Central committee of y, Ohio; the above-men- county, Ohio, Republican mittee will meet at the State Deputy Board of of Elections, at the court a, Allen county, Ohio, on 17th, 1898, at 1 o'clock e selection of seven (7) d seven (7) alternates to ican State Convention, e held at Columbus, O., nd Wednesday, June 21 and for the transaction r business as may come mmittee.

o voted the straight Re- ket last fall, 1897, and t of Allen county, Ohio, ous of attending said Re- te convention as a dele- ernate, should send his dress to the chairman of e, at Beaver Dam, O., or ry, Lima, O., on or before 16th, 1898, for the con- the committee.

rder of the Republican mittee of Allen County. day of June, 1898.

S. R. VERTNER, len County Republican ittee.

MICHIGAN.

h Connection Via Fort Wayne.

20th, 1898, Train No. 9 t Wayne Route leaving p. m. will connect at aily during the season l summer train running oids & Indiana railway, Kendallville 5:30 p. m., . m., Kalamazoo 8:15 p. oids 9:15 p. m., Petoskey d Mackinaw City 8:00 a. rrangement will enable d for points in southern, n and northern Michi- ough in quick time, re- one change at Fort Station, where pas- pass from one train to out any discomfort or whatever. For special out the new through educed rate Tourist igan points, and other apply to Ticket Agent , Lima, Ohio. 7-j30

f sufferers from grippe red to health by One Cure. It quickly cures bronchitis, pneumonia, and all throat and I. F. Vortkamp, north- and North.

SUMMER IN COLORADO.

Special Tourist Tickets via Pennsylvania Lines.

Colorado is particularly inviting as a summer haven. The climate is remarkable for its invigorating effect, and the state is rich in grand scenery and points of interest where a vacation may be pleasantly spent. Special arrangements are being made for the entertainment of visitors who are this season expected to be attracted to the seclusion and quiet of the Rockies and the hills and canyons of that great wonderland.

Colorado today is nearer home than in former years. The fast schedules of the Pennsylvania route and connecting lines bring the Centennial State within easy reach, and the cost of a trip thither is no longer a luxury. The special low rate tourist tickets over the Pennsylvania Lines places the cost for transportation within the limit of the usual allowance for vacation trips. For special information about rates, time of trains and other details please apply to nearest Pennsylvania Lines ticket agent or address C. L. Kimball, A. G. P. Agt., Cleveland, O.

Children like it, it saves their lives. We mean One Minute Cough Cure, the infallible remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, grippe, and all throat and lung troubles. H. F. Vortkamp, northeast cor. Main and North.

WHAT DO YOU WANT.

If you want help—a situation, have something to sell or rent, or if you wish to buy something, remember that a "want" in the NEWS costs much less than in any other paper and will bring you more answers than in all the other papers in the aggregate. If you want a girl, you are sure to find a good one through a "want" in THE NEWS. A lady had a want in the Times a week and got no girl. She placed it in THE NEWS, and before 8 p. m. had several applications and secured a first-class girl.

Second Fleet Sails for Manila.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—The second fleet of transports weighed anchor about 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and are now on their way to Manila.

Fatal Cloudburst.

KANSAS CITY, Kan., June 16.—A cloudburst at about 11 o'clock Wednesday in the vicinity of Chelsea park, a suburban pleasure resort about three miles southwest of here, is believed to have caused the death of at least five persons and possibly more.

LABOR LORE.

Read Up and Study.

A shallow minded individual, who by the way, is only one step removed from a common day-laborer, was criticising the intent and purpose of trades unions, and in his belief the country would be better off without such a disturbing element. "What are their purpose, anyway?" he asked.

Well, for the benefit of this fellow and others of his way of thinking, we will briefly say a trades union is at once a declaration and a determination by the workers to at least maintain their present status of civilization, and a concentration of effort to attain the highest goal of human justice and freedom.

The trades unions represent exactly what the workers are—just as broad or narrow as the workers themselves are. They attain a moral or social status and improvements as the workers are intelligent and progressive. There is no limit to their achievements until full justice has been established between man and man.

The platform of the trade union movement is as broad as the universe. It admits of all shades of thought and opinion; neither shuts the door to the radical, nor is the conservative other than welcome, but recognizes the one is counterpolis to the other, as one complete whole, to attain the highest possible degree of success.

If our narrow minded friend would let old party politics alone for awhile and read up a little on subjects on political economy, the change will make his brain more active and his mind a little broader.

Notes.

Bay View Mills, of the Illinois steel mills, find the eight-hour day lately put in force there working grandly.

Bridge and Structural Iron Workers union of St. Louis, and the brass workers of that city, got an eight-hour day this spring by united action.

Mason contractors of Buffalo, N. Y., granted the eight-hour day to their 1,800 employes a few weeks ago, and are now expressing their satisfaction with the change, and wondering why they didn't do it before.

Reporters and correspondents in the Cripple Creek district of Colorado have formed a union. Cripple Creek, Victor and other cities are represented.

Everytime we buy a union labeled article we help to maintain a respectable scale of wages. If anyone can suggest any better plan then let us hear of it.

WRITE TO THE BOYS.

Our Lads Will Appreciate Your Thoughtfulness.

"Write to the boys at the front. We at home are apt to be careless and neglectful. We do not appreciate the position of the boys of Lima who are "at the front."

One of the boys writing home says: "If people could only see the boys of the company surround the first sergeant when mail arrives and wait until their names are called and turn away with a yell and break for their tents to read their letters, or turn away with a disappointed look only to break forth as eagerly as ever when the next mail comes in, they would send the boys two letters where they now send one."

FOUR MORE

Recruits Are Enrolled for Company C, Making Twenty-One.

There seems to be but little trouble experienced by Kent Hughes in enlisting the recruits for Company C that he desires. Kent now has a total of 21 men ready to go to the front. Four new ones were added yesterday in the persons of George Miller, Will Lindermann, Ralph Putnam and George Eckert. Otto Owen, of Bluffton, who took the examination at Bellefontaine, failed to pass and has returned home. The others who passed will soon be on their way to Chickamauga Park.

TO THE TRADE.

As a result of the increased tax of $1 per bbl. on beer, as stated in the war revenue bill passed by congress, it becomes necessary for the following brewery and agencies, situated in the city of Lima, to increase the price of beer $1 per bbl. and bottle beer in proportion:

T. Sullivan.
C. Geiger.
D. Cahill.
P. C. Beck.
J. Sullivan.
The Quilna Brewery.

6 2

As Company C will leave camp June 30, this will be your last chance to see the boys in Chattanooga, so get ready to leave Lima via C., H. & D. next Wednesday, June 22. Only $10.00 for the round trip.

Excursion to Indian Lake Park.

Lewistown Reservoir and Bellefontaine via Detroit & Lima Northern, Sunday, June 19th, 50 cents for the round trip. Special train will leave Wayne street station, Lima, June 19th, at 8:40 a. m., and returning will arrive at 8 p. m. Good fishing and bathing at Russels Point. Bring your lunch baskets and plenty of fishing tackle, and we will guarantee you a good catch. Wheels and lunch baskets carried free. 6 3

G. E. BLUEM. 57 PUBLIC SQUARE. G. E. BLUEM.

Warm Weather Wearables.

A bargain budget. A store full of sensible, seasonable merchandise suited to your summer needs. All priced to push the June selling far in advance of previous records Note well the news.

THE WASH GOODS STOCK

Is now at its best; assortments most complete, qualities reliable, prices lower than you'd expect.

Organdies, a fine wash fabric, 32 inches wide, for 5c.

Fancy Organdies in very choice styles, for 9c.

Organdies, French styles, looks as well as any 25c fabric. We are selling them at $1.25 per dress pattern. See them in our show window.

THE SHIRT WAIST STOCK.

No stock in this store will give better account of itself for the next sixty days; no stock better equipped to add to your summer satisfaction.

One lot of 75c Shirt Waists for 50 cents.

Plain white India Linen Shirt Waist, tucked, deep yoke and a splendid Waist for hot weather wear.

Light pink and light blue Shirt Waists, made of fine plain colored organdies with white swiss embroidered trimmings, looks very nobby and just the waist you ought to have if you wish to look stylish these hot days.

FANCY RIBBONS.

Wide fancy Ribbons, worth 50 and 60c per yard, just the thing for ties or sashes to be worn with your Organdie dress. You can buy this same ribbon for 28c per yard.

LIGHT WEIGHT UNDERWEAR,

And time for it, too. Season's late, that's bad for profits; but it won't stop us from doing a double business at half profits. Thus:

Women's Jersey Vests,

Low neck, no sleeves, crochet trimmings, for 5c.

Low neck, no sleeves, crochet trimmings and tape, for 10c.

Low neck, no sleeves, fancy trimmed neck, taped, for 15c.

Low neck, half sleeves, fancy trimmed in Ecru, also white, for 25 cents.

SUMMER SEPARATE SKIRTS.

The economy of the summer Wash Skirt is to be commended. The style and comfort of these popular garments there's no gain saying. The prices put them within easy reach of all,

A Crash Skirt for 88c.
A fine Linen Skirt for $2.50.
A fine Linen Skirt for $3.00.

COOL HOUSE WRAPPERS.

Tidy gowns these; trimmed and touched up with braided ruffles or embroidery. Pretty designs in prints, cambrics and lawns, and the ready-to-wear price is that of bare materials.

A fine lot of Wrappers for $1.00.
Choice Wrappers for $1.38, $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00.

YOUR PARASOL

Should be among this really handsome and in every way up-to-date stock. Will you kindly select it? We're in shape to quote you parasol prices that will cause you some pleasant worderment.

A 26 inch Umbrella, natural stick handle, for $1.00, worth $1.25.

A 26 inch Umbrella, natural stick handle, silver trimmed, for $1.25, worth $1.50.

Fancy Parasols at 1.38, 1.50, 2.50, 2.75, 3.00, 3.50 to $5.75.

HOSIERY HONESTY;

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Special to The News:

The secretary of war has sent to congress estimates for appropriations for the army up to January 1 next, amounting to $18,200,000.

Recruits are pouring into Camp Alger to fill the regiments to their full strength. The work of recruiting has been much easier than was expected.

The Methodists in conference in Toronto Wednesday passed a resolution unanimously favoring an Anglo-American union. They then sang "America" heartily.

It is said that L. Z. Leiter, of Chicago, is negotiating for Tintorn Abbey, one of the finest historical houses in England, which the marquis of Worcester now offers for sale.

The president Wednesday reprieved until the first Thursday in January, 1899, Wm. Strother and Edward Smith, two Negroes under sentence to hang in Washington Thursday.

The Paris correspondent of the London Daily Times says: "It is understood that M. Faure urged M. Meline to reconstruct the ministry but that M. Meline strenuously refused."

Duke Almodovar De Rio, minister of foreign affairs, has ordered Senor Dubosc, former Spanish charge d'affaires at Washington, and Lieut. Carranzas, former Spanish naval attache there, to leave Canada.

The Spanish Government has authorized Gov. Gen. Blanco to entertain proposals for an exchange of Lieut. Hobson and the other prisoners taken when the Merrimac was sunk off the entrance to the harbor of Santiago de Cuba.

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Mansfield, Ohio—June 27 and 28. Ohio State Christian Endeavor Convention. One fare for round trip.

Washington, D. C.—July 5 and 6. National Educational Association Convention. One fare plus $2.00.

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THE FACTIONAL FIGHT.

The whirligig of time brings remarkable changes in very short periods. Only a year ago a certain faction in the Republican party of Allen county raised a great howl because the county committee attempted to appoint the delegates to the state convention. Today the same crowd that kicked so hard at that time held a committee meeting and selected the delegates themselves. Oh, consistency, thou art a jewel!

There is a principle at stake in this matter. It is a gross violation of the rights of the people, no matter what faction may attempt it, and should be condemned emphatically by all classes and conditions of citizenship. This government is a government "of the people, by the people, and for the people," as Lincoln said a generation ago, and it would be well for the leaders of all the "rings" to remember the fact that sooner or later the people rise up in their might and hold them to strict account for every usurpation of power

Tomorrow the Republicans of the county will hold a people's convention, and elect delegates to the Columbus convention where the committee on credentials will render a final decision on the question of the seating of the delegates.

LIMA COLLEGE FIRST.

The following clause appears in the published report of the committee on teachers, which report will be submitted to the City Board of Education for final action at its meeting next Monday evening:

We recommend that inexperienced candidates named in the so-called supply list be required to present to the superintendent of instruction, before they are assigned to regular work, a certificate of an instruction for three months at some institution to be approved by the superintendent, that they have passed a teacher's training course of not less than three months provided, however, that if the superintendent requires their services before they have finished said course, he may earlier assign them

Under this clause, if adopted, the city superintendent may approve any institution, far or near, the matter being left exclusively with him. Suppose he should recommend some distant college, accessible only to those who may have the necessary means to enable them to attend. This would be a grave injustice to all who might be unable to bear such expense, inasmuch as it would absolutely exclude them from consideration as applicants for positions on the teaching force of the city.

Aside from the inconvenience and injustice that might thus be caused, the measure is utterly wrong in principle. Every person has a natural right to select a school or college which he may wish to attend, either for himself or his children, and no board of education should delegate to any superintendent the privilege of preventing the people of Lima from exercising this right. Nor should any disqualification be presumed because of the school so selected.

Lima has a first-class college of its own, which as hundreds of our citizens have said since this report was published, the great majority of the city teachers would prefer to attend, and which the board should recommend, if it takes action on this matter at all. There should be no discrimination against our home school for higher culture. The plain duty, and the strong preference of Lima teachers is to patronize Lima College.

BARBAROUS WARFARE.

The official report of Admiral Sampson leaves no doubt that the Spaniards stooped to the baseness of mangling the bodies of our four marines who were killed in the first fight on Guantanamo Bay. Of course, Spain's cause will suffer from this useless savagry, as it suffered from the blowing up of the Maine. The brutality at Camanera will make her reputation blacker in the world's eyes.

Not, indeed, that we shall protest to the world for this or any other violation of the rules of civilized warfare. We are managing the war in our own way, and do not call upon outsiders either to help us or execrate our enemy. But this incident will serve to convince people that Spain for years has been waging a barbarous form of warfare in Cuba. As to that, however, no country in Christendom has a worse record for gratuitous savageries in war. From the days of Alva to those of Weyler she has been famous for them, and they have always brought her discredit.

That our American soldiers or sailors will retaliate in kind on the Spaniards we cannot believe. Their natures would revolt at it; but they may fight all the more desperately to avoid falling into the hands of such an enemy, just as it is with our regular army in its combats with the Indians of the West. They would not lower themselves, we may believe, to the level of the Spaniards, in this particular, any more than to the level of Apaches.

General Shafter's corps of regulars, then, in landing at or near Santiago, may expect not only the bushwhacking tactics but some of the barbarities to which their warfare with Indians has accustomed them. It is only fair, however, to some of our tribes of red men to say that they are not so cruel to captives as in old days.

THE BARBER PEOPLE.

The stopping by injunction of the work on west Market street is taken by the majority of persons as meaning a little spite work on the part of the residents along the thoroughfare who desired the Barber people to secure the contract. It looks very much this way, and to satisfy an old grudge this, one of our main streets, is being blocked. It is certainly not the fault of the contractor that there has been misunderstandings over the width of the street, and the injunction looks like a huge piece of intolerance and deserves the strictest censure. We hope the matter will soon be remedied.

THE political editor of the Morning Reprint was not present at the meeting of the Allen County Central Committee this afternoon. He may again say he was not invited, but readers of the "Excuse" will know tomorrow that the Reprint's account will be truly reprint. In this connection it may be stated that no other paper in the city was represented at the meeting except THE NEWS. The Times is afraid, while the Reprint darsent

"WHEN an Andamese woman becomes a widow she prepares her husband's skull and uses it for a treasure box." This proves that the old man has a good head for business.

CUBA may not be "ripe for independence," says Senor Gibera. But if the Senor continues to break into print with that name of his he will find the American people ripe for revolt.

A KANSAS editor is disgusted because Commodore Sampson does not sail straight to Madrid and shell the city." But he should remember that the Texas is the only land-going ship Sampson has.

THE president has signed the war revenue bill and the home guard patriots will now be asked to step up to the captain's office and do their share in "remembering the Maine."

WHEN the real war begins in Cuba, the Spanish soldiers will have to fight in the open and there isn't any doubt of their getting skinned when they do that.

THE fellows who thought Joe Leiter an enemy of the human race ought to be satisfied. But it wasn't the farmers who got $1.50 for their wheat.

AFTER Quay's success in nominating Stone for governor of Pennsylvania that state ought to be called the "Quaystone" state

THE American navy is far behind the times. Smokeless powder has been in use for a number of years among fashionable young ladies.

THE charge that sons of senators have been appointed to military positions because they are "sons of great men" needs corroborative evidence.

Watson has taken the Spanish label off those canned Red Peppers that he has.

PRESS COMMENTS.

This nation is on the high road to real greatness. We are building up a navy that will command the respect as well as the admiration of the world With a great navy there will come a great mercantile marine as a matter of course. The American traveler of the future will have no excuse for complaining that the Star Spangled Banner is seen nowhere on earth outside of the United States

Chicago Record.—It may be a hard matter to settle the terms of peace when it comes to estimating in dollars and cents the damage to Boston's nerves.

OUTWITTED!

By the Faurot Stock Co. Tonight.

This company will present the very laughable three-act comedy entitled, "Outwitted, or All in a Fog," tonight. The play is of the high order of comedy, is full of unlooked for, and unexpected situations, and pleases all classes. The plot, if it might be so called, hinges on a clear case of mistaken identity, and is a sure cure for a fit of the blues. Sparkling specialties are introduced by different members of the company. Every holder of a 25c. ticket is entitled to bring a lady, who will be admitted free

RACES.

Blanket Matinee at Faurot's Park Promises to be Very Exciting.

Tomorrow afternoon at 1 30 o'clock, the races will start at Faurot's driving park, just off of Spring street, and the several events on the program promise to be very interesting. A number of fast steppers have been entered and some very exciting contests are assured. Every effort has been made by Messrs Lerch and Strong, to make this, the first blanket matinee of the season, a decided success and pleasure, and the earnest support of our best citizens should be given it that the above gentlemen may be warranted in giving these matinees every two weeks. Every one who enjoys good, clean sport should turn out tomorrow and enjoy the contests The small admission fee of ten cents will be charged at the gate.

Only $10.00 to Chattanooga and return via C., H & D. Wednesday, June 22. Tickets good to return five days after date of sale. 7 4t

FEW NOTES

Gathered in the Camps of Ohio and Indiana Boys.

Verdict in the Case of John Lutz Will be Made Public as Soon as Possible.

The following is a dispatch from Chickamauga, National Military Park, Georgia. The only thing of interest in the Second Ohio today was the conclusion of the Courtmartial of John W. Lutz, the newspaper correspondent. The verdict will be made public as soon as approved by General Brooke.

The Sixth Ohio was inspected in equipment today by Major Davis, U. S. A.

W. Starrett and Frank Sommers, hospital stewards of the One Hundred and Sixtieth Indiana, have been detached from duty with the regiment. The former goes to the Second Division hospital and the latter to the general ambulance station

By the transfer of Major Keil to the division hospital and Captain Foxworth to Leiter, Lieutenant Eugene Buhler, assistant surgeon of this regiment, has been promoted to chief surgeon, and Private John Pfoff to assistant surgeon.

The boys of the Fourth Ohio get up, eat and do everything else half an hour earlier than before, by a new routine established this morning

FOURTEEN REGIMENTS

From Chickamauga Said to be Destined for Puerto Rico.

Chickamauga Park, Ga., June 17.—Camp Thomas was disturbed yesterday by a rumor that 14 regiments would soon be on the way to Puerto Rico. Rumors list the regiments as the Second Kentucky, Eighth, Ninth and Fourteenth New York, First and Second Missouri, First and Second Arkansas, First Vermont, First Maine, Second Nebraska, Third Tennessee, First Minnesota and Fifty-Second Iowa. This rumor had its birth in railroad circles, the list having been given out by a passenger agent at Chattanooga, who claims to have "inside information."

Sleeping cars in large numbers are being assembled on all the lines south. General Brooke was asked concerning the rumor, but he had no information to impart It is said, however, that he was asked by the Secretary of War to furnish a list of the 12 best regiments in the third corps, and to ascertain this an inspection was held a few days ago.

THREE GOOD CITIZENS

Are at the Head of the Indignation Movement on the South Side.

The petitions being circulated on South Main street among the property owners, protesting against the $9,000 robbery by the Big Eight, are not in the hands of a few sore heads, as this worthy eight are prone to think. When it is known that such men as Simon Spellacy, the grocer, Robert Reese and Col. C. F. Donze are the leading spirits it will not be taken as a laughing matter by these vacillating members of the Board of Aldermen. The residents on South Main are not likely to be enriched by having our worthy council tax them $9,000 for the benefit of home contractors. The residents and the city want the street paved, but not at an enormous robbery to the residents. The estimate was $5,000 less, and this miserable fiasco of legislation makes South Main street property owners nightly send up the refrain, with pulsating hearts.

"What will we do if our hoggies die,
Our joy, our pride, our hoggies?"

Special Bargains

This week in Ladies' Oxfords at Francis' New Shoe Store. Don't pay $2 00 a pair for Shoes that you can buy at this store for $1 50 a pair. Also a few pairs left of the Ladies' Tan Vesting Top Shoes at $2.00 a pair, sold elsewhere for $2 50 and $2.75. Be sure that you find the right place, S. W. Cor Square. 7-4t

Men's outing Shoes, canvas top, leather soles; cool and comfortable, $1.25 at the Waugh Shoe Store. Baseball Shoes 98 cents Bargains in all departments. 713

WANTS

All notices inserted in this column must be paid for in advance Twenty-five cents is charged for one insertion and 35c for three insertions.

FOR SALE—DISPLAY CARDS—At the News office "Furnished Rooms," "For Sale" and "For Rent" tf

TO LET — Good, clean kept furnished rooms for sleeping purposes at reasonable prices, one-half square from opera house Address "Rooms" News Office.

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Men's Straw Hat Special!

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This same quality is sold usually at 75c and $1,00. Our price

50c.

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—AT—

The Metellus Thomson DRY GOODS CO.

Moire and Satin Ribbons, wide sash widths that sold for 68c, No. 60 and 80, fancies. Extra wide Ribbons that sold for 50 and 65c, all colors, entire lot reduced to 38c a yard.

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Seal Leather Belts at 25c
Military Belts at - - 50c
Velvet Belts, Fancy Buckles, - - - - - - - 50c
Red, White and Blue Novelty Belts, - - - 25c

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Combination Waist Sets in Gold and Enameled, over 50 styles to select from at
25, 39 and 50c

Ladies' Black Silk Mitts.

25 dozen at 10c a pair. Heavy quality and all pure silk.

SILKS REDUCED.

We have selected from our Silk Department one large lot of Silks that sold for the following prices: 50, 75, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50. We have reduced them as follows:

50c Silks to - - - - 35c
75c Silks to - - - - 50c
$1.00 Silks to - - - 75c
$1.25 Silks to - - - 85c
$1.50 Silks to - - $1.00

No price obstacle for a cool Dress at Thomson's. 32 inch Lawns, pretty styles, a quality as fine as the ten cent article at

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A beautiful picture made from your own photograph. A winning favor, when people see the pictures, learn that they can get them free, and that in all ways the pictures are a gift. Do we get many orders for pictures? Come in and see. Bring your photo with you. A picture with every $5.00 purchase.

PARASOLS

A new lot just received. Ladies' Parasols in Fancy Plaid, Stripes and Checks. Plaid Parasols with plain borders. Bayadere stripes, plain Silks, etc., a special assortment.

Prices $1, $1.50, $2 and $3.00.

Changeable Silk Umbrellas. Plaid Silk Umbrellas. Regular $3.50 grade

FOR $2.50.

Union Silk Coralla Sun or Rain Umbrellas. Three big special values at extraordinary low prices.

75c, $1.00 and $1.25,

All with pretty natural wood and fancy handles.

Children's Parasols.

Children's 12 inch Fancies at - - - - - 25c
Children's 14 inch, Fancy Silk Ruffles - - - 50c
Other values at 75 cents

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233 and 235 NORTH MAIN STREET.

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Embroideries consisting of newest designs at little prices like these:

One lot edges 5 inches wide - - - - - 10c a Yard.
One lot edges 10 inches wide - - - - - 12½c a Yard.
These prices are far below the usual.

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—AT—

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Sash Ribbons, 6 inches wide. Moire Ribbons, Satin Ribbons and Fancy Ribbons. These Ribbons have sold for 35, 38 and 48 cents. We have placed them on sale today at 25 cents a yard.

Sale of Summer Necessities

—AT—

THOMSON'S,

Stores, 233-235 N. Main.

Ladies' Summer Vests, cool Underwear, Maco Cotton,
5c a Garment.

Ladies' Summer Vests with Fancy Ribbon, trimmed yoke, colors white and ecru
10c a Garment.

Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests neck and arms trimmed,
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Ventilating Corsets
25 cents
Equal to Corsets sold at other stores for 39 cents

Hip Pads and Bustle

The correct dress form at

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Lace Parasol Covers

For Baby Buggies
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ARVING

Thousand Spanish ers Outside

Camp at Guantanamo to Surrender—Many raft Guarding At- nd Gulf Coasts.

ON:

LA, Guantanamo Bay, ngston, Jamaica, June ie afternoon a half- agged Spanish soldier amp and gave himself expected to be shot, ladly die if they would ood and water. He had 48 hours.

that there were 2,000 rs, half starved, who ve themselves up, but red that they would be Americans as soon as ce in captivity. The iven a good dinner and and was then taken on rblehead. He declared gladly go back and re- omrades, but that they shoot him. He is now ier on the Marblehead. ead's little steam launch letachment of Spanish this afternoon and es- the loss of a man after ent of a quarter of an nch had been dragging ar the fort for mines. ie and was towing he Marblehead when concealed in the shore, opened a hot men in the launch The toward shore and re- way, but the bow gun overboard carrying the In the meantime the ing wildly. The marine rescued. It is believed aniards were killed.

PROTECTED.

orty Auxiliary Naval Craft ing the Atlantic and Gulf Coast.

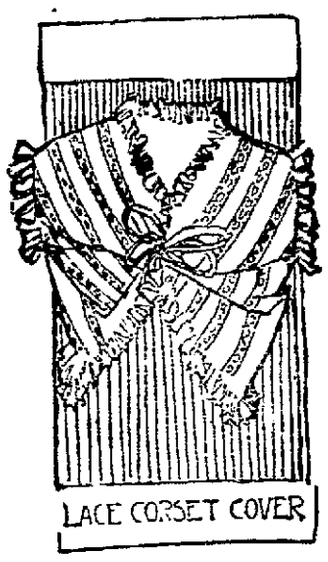
, June 17.—The navy de- now completed its ar- the Atlantic and Gulf and stretching from around to New Orleans. less than 40 auxiliary including swift yachts, single turret monitors r, tug boats, ferry boats, w large and well armed These 40 ships are the several large alf cities, while about miles or more seaward ticket line is maintained e larger and more effect- of the San Francisco of these outer pickets is s far north as Nova Sco- outherly picket is off the of northern Geor- largest number of els is at New York merce requiring protec- reatest at that point eston and all other coast their share of the auxil- aking as a whole a naval red adequate for any protecting our eastern coast line.

Woman and Her Ways

LACE CORSET COVER.

A Very Neat Little Summer Garment Which Will Make the Waist Appear Small and Neat.

A very neat lace corset cover is made of strips of insertion set in white organdie. The corset cover is drawn across the bust and tied with wash ribbons. A little ruffle of organdie is set around the neck and back.



LACE CORSET COVER

To make this you buy white organdie by the yard and sew the insertion upon it before the corset cover is cut out. You then cut it out after the draped pattern and gather it after it is on the figure.

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When a man calls a woman "dear," or she decorates her conversational efforts in the same bouquet-like adornment, it is safe to assume that they are married—probably newly married.

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THE WEARY MAIDEN.

When Johnny comes marching home again
We'll give him a rousing cheer,
And I hope it won't be long till then.
For things are lonesome here.

When Johnny comes marching home, hooray!
We'll all be happy then,
And the gas bills papa has to pay
Will go bounding up again

* *

Mrs. Chas. Clark gave a dinner yesterday at her home, corner of Kibby and McPheron avenue, in honor of her Grandma Junkin's 89th birthday, at which were present four generations, W Junkin, Mrs. Chas. Clark and Mrs Clark's little child.

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The following invitations were issued yesterday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Baxter Trevor
request the honor of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter
Nellie Mae
to
Mr H A Pool,
on Wednesday, June 29,
at 8 o'clock,
748 West Wayne street.

* *

Mrs. J. O. Ohler, of West Market, gave a very pretty luncheon of fourteen covers this afternoon at 1 o'clock. The honored one being Miss Waldo, of Detroit, Mich., and Miss Paine, of Jackson, O. The artistic arrangement of flowers contributed especially to the charm of the event, while the hostess presided over the daintily appointed table with ease.

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Mrs. C. H. Cole entertains the Arbutus Club today. Mrs. J. K. Brice will give a selection from Shakespeare, "The Taming of the Shrew."

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That exclusive little organization known as the West End Whist Club enjoyed a delightful outing yesterday as the guests of Mrs. J. W. VanDyke and Mr. C. H. Cole, they achieving the highest record in whist for the winter of '97. This noteworthy gathering was held at McBeth's and the collation served by the Elk of course was the most satisfactory feature of the festivities to the members, including one guest, Mrs. Frank Bell. The dinner throughout was characterized by enthusiastic music of national airs and other pretty selections by Frey's orchestra, while the tables was correspondingly handsome in flags and fancy fruit. Boating and all other gayety that makes up a delightful picnic was enjoyed.

At 7 oclock the jolly crowd was driven to the home of Mr. and Mrs. VanDyke, where whist was indulged in till late, and in conclusion will say that the music, the decorations and the crush could not have been more inspiring, more lavish or more significant of the desire to show their appreciations of the honors secured by these brilliant players.

FEW AND FAR BETWEEN.

Police Have a Quiet Night—Two Tramps Landed and Arraigned.

"All is quiet at the police station," said the Mayor. Two tramps with the old charge, drunk and disorderly, are all we have. Roney and patrolman Goebel chased in Joshua Sherman and a pal, last night. They were drunk and disorderly. Sherman appeared before the Mayor this morning and said guilty. He will be fined this afternoon. He and the pal claimed they were drinking but not disorderly, save when a crowd of boys threw stones at them and started to kid.

Guy Folk had not his shining light in front of his bike when hailed by patrolman Bacome last night Guy got gay when told of his neglgence, and the policeman reminded him by escorting his wheel to the police station for a night's lodging. Folk went before the Mayor this morning and told him he could explain the darkness. He was given his wheel and tomorrow morning at nine o'clock will tell of the utter darkness and his flippancy with Bacome.

John Willetts, arrested and fined $5 for riding unlawfully on the P. F., received a letter from his partner enclosing the amount, and he left Lima this morning to join his savior.

Thirty-five years make a generation. That is how long Adolph Fisher, of Zanesville, O., suffered from piles. He was cured by using three boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. H. F. Vortkamp, northeast cor. Main and North.

Don't fail to read the want ads. in THE NEWS. You will find something there of interest to you. tf

We have the greatest line of Men's Colored Footwear shown in the city.

Men's high grade shoes in Russia Calf and Vici Kid for $3.00, 3.50, 4.00 and 5.00. Remember we are sole agents for the famous Nettleton & Heywood Shoes. Ladies' nobby colored Shoes for $2.00, 2.50, 3.00 and 3.50. A big line of Misses' and Children's Shoes. Good values in Children's from 98c up. Children's and Misses' fancy vesting top Shoes.

Michael		Michael		Michael
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RAILROADS.

Hot War Between L. E. & W. R. R. and Muncie Officials.

Nothing Heard of Rumor Which Said Brice-Thomas Syndicate Had Secured Option on C. H. & D.

A HOT WAR.

A dispatch from Muncie says: The police and the L. E. & W. local freight officials are having a hot war. The company tore down part of its large depot, intending to rebuild it stronger and extend it several hundred feet further. When the workmen were ready to start the addition the police appeared and notified them that as the depot is in the fire limits, the first man that drove a nail or placed a timber on the building would be arrested. The company, the police say, must make the addition of either stone or brick.

NOTES.

The Erie has closed the night telegraph office at Harrod on account of business being dull.

At Akron the case of Seth Regby vs. the Northern Ohio Railroad Company is on trial. Regby asks $15,000 damages for injuries he received by the explosion of a car heater.

Nothing is heard now of the rumor of a few months ago, which said that the Brice-Thomas syndicate had secured an option or a controlling interest in the C. H. & D., and that the Big Four might be joined with the Lake Erie & Western and the C. H. & D

The savings in small things on a railroad, when multiplied, make a great showing in the aggregate as an addition to the earnings A striking example of this is furnished on the Erie, where they are using pilots made of iron pipe on freight engines, at a cost of about $6 each, while the price of standard pilots is from $50 to $100.

Huntington Herald. There was a sickening sight at Bippus, Thursday. Erie passenger train No. 5, which does not stop at Bippus, ran over the sixteen-months-old son of Frank Rickert and wife, who lives about half a mile west of Bippus, killing the little one instantly and mangling its body frightfully. * * Mrs. George F. Miller, whose husband was killed on the Erie at Lima, has received $3,000 from the Catholic Benevolent Legion, in which order he was insured. Mr. Miller had been a member of the fraternity for eleven years and had paid into the treasury a few cents over $232.

Says the Wapak Democrat: Representatives of the Columbus & Northwestern railroad were in town Tuesday to meet the executive committee of the board of trade, which held a session that evening. They stated that the company was ready to construct the road as soon as the right-of-way was secured. The executive committee notified them that this had been obtained and that there was no valid reasons for further delay.

As the road is now completed to Bellefontaine it is very probable that trains will be running into Wapakoneta and St. Marys over the new line within the next sixty days. The officials promise even better than this and say it will not be more than forty days. At any rate under the contract between them and the boards of trade of the two towns their work will have to be finished within three months, the stipulation in the contract limiting them to that time after the tender of the right of way, which took place Tuesday night.

CELEBRATIONS WILL BE MANY.

Lima Seems to be Behind Other Towns in Preparing For the Fourth.

In almost every exchange that comes to this office celebrations of the great Fourth of July are being given prominence. Every small town in the state seems to be preparing for a hurrah, and yet Lima makes no preparations. It is a little late now to make a demonstration but it seems a shame that we can't get up something that will keep our population at home instead of sending the boys out and their money with them to spend in other towns. Perhaps it is the thought that the town has joined the prohib class, but this is all wrong. His Honor has no intention of shutting down on the saloons as long as they come within the limits of the ordinance, and likewise with other sports. Give us a ball game or something to relieve the monotony.

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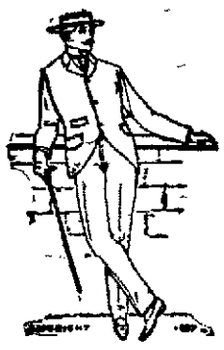

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Silence of Jean-Louis.

By Marie Trivelli

"Mademoiselle! If you want to see Mlle. Aline, she's coming out the back street."

The state, the inn-keeper, stare before her door knitting, drop their eyes upon two girls chatting along the little street. It appeared that from each corsetiere, from each tobacconist and dress goods, from almost all the inhabitants of the quartier were gathered at their front doors.

Mlle. Aline, the object of all this interest, passed along, accompanied by a young fellow dressed after the manner of a farmer, with whom she talked, and never seemed to notice the tumult which her radiant beauty had caused. She smiled and bowed to those whom she knew, and finally entered a store which bore above its door the sign: "Louvre de Coubertin." As soon as she was out of sight the tongues began to move.

"Oh, my, but she's pretty!"

"There's not a girl in this town that can stand next to her!"

"It's her husband who will be the lucky man!"

"It's funny she hasn't married!"

"If only she would have accepted that M. Duviquet!"

"Or M. Bonnassal, the rich old advocate's nephew!"

"Oh, well, look at Jean-Louis, the nephew of M. Beaujars. He seems happy with his cousin, doesn't he?"

"I wonder if he is in love with her?"

"He? He's too stupid. All he thinks about is the cows and chickens on his uncle's farm. He couldn't fall in love."

Aline Beaujars merited her reputation for beauty. Nothing could be more exquisite than this young girl of 18 years, with her blonde hair, her gray eyes, and her brilliant complexion. She lived happily at her father's farm, where everyone loved and worshiped her as a sort of queen, beginning with Jean-Louis, who, in spite of his stupidity, possessed marvelous ingenuity in satisfying the young girl's caprices. He was an orphan, and had been adopted while a child by his rich uncle, M. Beaujars, and now occupied on his farm the position of general manager.

"If it were not for Jean-Louis," Beaujars had often said, "I would not be as well off as I am. He is a treasure. But it is queer that he seems so stupid about other things."

It was on account of this reputation for innocent stupidity that Jean-Louis was allowed to be the constant companion of Aline when she went to town. He was a protector, nothing more, in the eyes of the girl's parents. In reality, he and the girl were fast friends, and Aline found him anything but stupid as a companion. She used to question herself as to just how much her regard for her old friend had to do with her desire to remain unmarried. Once she said to him, a little wistfully:

"Jean, Bristol has asked me to marry him. What do you say?"

"He's a fine fellow," replied her cousin, without meeting her eyes.

"Then you would advise me to accept him?"

"Why not, since you must marry some day? As well he as another."

Nevertheless, Aline determined to become an old maid, and in this resolve she reached 20 years. M. Isidore Bertoulin proposed to her. He was considered a splendid parti, and Beaujars was determined to secure him as a son-in-law. He was good-looking, rich and clever. Aline consented, and was hurt because Jean-Louis seemed glad. He didn't care for her, she decided, and she might just as well go away from him.

M. Isidore came often to see his betrothed, and treated her with every mark of attentive affection. She seemed content, and the wedding day grew gradually nearer. It was her custom to walk with her lover as far as Coubertin, when he returned home in the evenings, and on these occasions Jean-Louis walked some hundred feet behind them and accompanied Aline back home again. On one of these walks Isidore said to her:

"Jean-Louis is very devoted to you, is he not?"

"Yes; he always has been. When I was a child he played with me, later he taught me to read. As I grew up he surrounded me with everything for my good. He has been my playmate, my teacher, my dear friend—"

"And now he is a family servant?"

"You are much mistaken. He is not a servant. I have the deepest affection for him, and I want you to promise that, after our marriage, you will always treat him with consideration."

"In a general way, yes."

"No; more than that. He must come to our house whenever he will, and stay as long as he will. You will make him feel that he is welcome, will you not?"

"Yes, yes. The devotion he feels for you is a common trait among faithful servants."

Aline felt irritated.

"Please let me repeat that it is disagreeable to me to have you consider Jean as a servant. He is a friend, relative—"

"Adopted through charity?"

"Oh!" breathed Aline indignantly.

They had arrived at the first houses of Coubertin, where they always separated. As Jean-Louis joined them Bertoulin, with natural lack of tact, and wishing to show something of a husband's authority, said:

"Good night, Jean. I confide mademoiselle to you. Take very good care of your mistress!" and with that he turned and left them standing together by the roadside.

Jean-Louis flushed at the insult, but said nothing, and the return was made in silence. Aline, who usually led the conversation, was a prey to conflicting thoughts. She thought of her accepted lover, and the [illegible] at the [illegible]

"Is the [illegible] to be soon, Aline?"

"Yes; [illegible]"

"[illegible] I am happy if you are happy, and I wish you the greatest joy that can come to one's life."

"Are you happy, Jean?" persisted the girl, [illegible] of a vague desire that he should not be so. For reply he shrugged his shoulders. At another time Aline would have dropped the subject without seeking to find the meaning of the man's gesture. But the conversation with Isidore had irritated her, and in comparison with the smallness of character displayed by him the strong simplicity of the man beside her seemed more than ever attractive.

"What will you do when I am married?" she continued.

"I'll come to see you."

"No," said Aline, cruelly; "my husband does not like you."

"And you?" said Jean calmly.

"I think I hate you!" cried the girl, passionately. "You pretend to like me and you are glad that I am going away forever. Yes, glad. I know you are."

"Stop! You don't know what you are talking about," cried Jean. His calm, indifferent manner had dropped from him like a cloak, and his words came as though forced against his will. Aline drew back in surprise at the change in the man, whose voice shook with long-repressed passion.

"You are forcing me to speak, and now you must listen," he went on. "I love you! I love you as this man you are going to marry never dreamed of loving. I have always loved you; no, more—worshiped you!"

"Then why have you not told me so before it was too late?"

"Can't you see that I, adopted into your family, could not go to your father and ask for your hand? I should have lost you forever. I have feigned indifference and been called 'stupid' for

HE TURNED TO HER JUST AS THEY REACHED THE GATE.

the sole purpose of being near to you, waiting on you, and keeping harm from you. Oh, Aline, why do you torture me into telling you this?" The excitement left his voice, and he turned wearily from her and began to walk slowly on along the road. She followed him, her heart beating wildly with emotion. She had never seen him this way before. How handsome he had looked with his blazing eyes and quivering mouth! How big he was, and strong and noble! He turned to her just as they reached the gate, and, taking her hand in his, said gently:

"I should not have spoken to you, little cousin. I had determined to play my part out to the end, and see, I have failed. I will go away to-night. Forget me and my poor love, and be happy." He raised her hand to his lips. "Good-by!" and he quickly turned toward the house.

Aline seized his arm. "You shall not go!" she cried.

"I must!"

"I command you to stay!"

"It is impossible after what has passed between us."

"Very well, then, I shall go with you."

"Aline, what are you saying?"

"Must I tell this stupid man everything before he can understand? I love you, too, M. Jean-Louis, and if you will not marry me, I'll—"

She was caught in two strong arms, and the rest of her sentence was never uttered.

"But, little one," said Jean, looking into the eyes raised to his, "what will your father say?"

"My father loves you and he loves me. Come, and we will tell him."

The next day M. Isidore Bertoulin and M. Beaujars had a fiery interview. Aline and Jean-Louis were not present, but from an upper window they watched the visitor take an undignified departure.—Translated from the French, in Saturday Evening Post.

First Emancipation Decree.

The first emancipation proclamation is said to be on the gravestone, at Concord, of John Jack, a native of Africa, who died in 1773, aged 60. It begins: "God wills us free; man wills us slaves. I will as God wills, God's will be done." Though born in a land of slavery, he was born free. Though he lived in a land of liberty he lived a slave, till, by his honest though stolen labor, he acquired the source of slavery which gave him his freedom." The rest of the epitaph, which must have been written by a forerunner of Wendell Phillips, is equally biting.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

No Danger to Them.

Clergyman—My child, beware of picking a toadstool, instead of a mushroom. They are easy to confuse.

Child—That be all roight, sur, that be! Us bain't a-goin' to eat 'em ourselves—they're a-goin' to market to be sold.—Tit-Bits.

THE RICHEST WOMAN.

Queen Victoria's Wealth and the Sources from Which It Came.

Theoretically the ruler of Great Britain receives no compensation, but is entitled to what are known as the hereditary revenues of the crown, and they make a curious inventory. In early times almost everybody had to pay a "royalty" upon his earnings to his sovereign, hence the origin of that word which is in common use over the world to-day. In 1830, however, William IV. made an arrangement with parliament, which was confirmed by Queen Victoria upon her accession to the throne, under which all of the hereditary revenues and the proceeds of the royal estates were surrendered in exchange for a permanent allowance. It was a good trade on both sides. The legitimate revenues of the queen at the present day would largely exceed this sum, but on the other hand she is relieved entirely from responsibility and annoyance, and knows exactly what she has to depend upon. The increase in values and royalties has been so great that if she received the hereditary revenues she would be worth a great deal more money than she is to-day. She would have all confiscated estates, all the property of felons and outlaws, all wrecks, flotsam and jetsam, and all penalties and fines collected by the courts; but the only rights of this kind that she retains are the so-called "royal fish," that is, any whales or sturgeons caught upon the coast of the United Kingdom.

Thus, from the time that she was crowned Queen Victoria has been in receipt of an income amounting to about $3,000,000 a year. From this she pays all the expenses and salaries of her household, charities, pensions, and other charges imposed upon the sovereign, be they more or less. She has $300,000 per annum for pocket money, of which no account is ever asked. The salaries of her household amount to about $600,000, and the other expenses to about $750,000 per year; $60,000 is given to her for "bounties and alms" and $96,000 for annuities and pensions. In addition to this the other members of the royal family receive annuities amounting to $865,000.

From the duchy of Lancaster the queen receives about $450,000 a year, which she has no need to touch at all, and probably invests in bulk as fast as it comes to her. This income of itself, since she has been upon the throne, with interest, would aggregate $40,000,000.

She has received several large legacies. In 1852 James Camden Nield bequeathed to her majesty an estate amounting to about $4,000,000, which pays a large revenue. In 1877 Mr. C. M. Newhouse left her several hundred thousand dollars in his will and she has received a number of other less valuable bequests from loyal subjects and admirers who have no direct heirs. These bequests to the queen are more numerous than the public has knowledge of, and the utmost caution is exercised regarding their acceptance, lest she may be involved in litigation or notoriety. Several large estates have been declined in order to avoid contests in the courts with relatives who thought they were entitled to the money. A few years ago her majesty had a very narrow escape. An old Scotch bachelor bequeathed to her a fortune amounting to several hundred thousand pounds invested in the shares of a bank, which two or three years later failed with a tremendous crash and liabilities of nearly $60,000,000. It was then disclosed that only 15 per cent. of the face value of the shares had been paid in, and the stockholders were immediately assessed 85 per cent. of their nominal holdings to meet the obligations of the institution. Had it not been for the caution and foresight of Earl Sidney, Queen Victoria would have accepted this legacy, and been the loser instead of the gainer by several million dollars.—William Eleroy Curtis, in Chautauquan.

A Fatal Mistake.

"Yes, madam, it is a fatal mistake to neglect your teeth. I lost a great deal of money through an oversight of that very sort. I had a rich uncle who promised to make me his heir. He went to sea. During a sudden storm he fell overboard, and a shark at once grabbed him. My uncle was a stout man; the shark was old. Moreover, he had never taken care of his teeth, and they were wretchedly poor. In short, he couldn't hold on to my uncle, who kicked himself loose from the man-eater and was picked up by a boat."

"But how did you lose the money?"

"My uncle lived long enough to alter his will. Oh, that neglectful shark!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Provisions Cheap in China.

Provisions are cheap at Kiau-Chou in China. A chicken costs five cents, a duck seven, a goose 15, and eggs are five cents a dozen.

PLANTING THE STARS AND STRIPES ON CUBAN SOIL.

WHY HE WAS RECOMMENDED.

Story of a Millionaire Infidel and His Clerk.

Girard, the infidel millionaire of Philadelphia, one Saturday ordered all his clerks to come on the morrow to his wharf and help unload a newly arrived ship. One young man replied, quietly:

"Mr. Girard, I can't work on Sundays."

"You know the rules?"

"Yes, I know. I have a mother to support, but I can't work on Sundays."

"Well, step up to the desk, and the cashier will settle with you."

For three weeks the young man could find no work, but one day a banker came to Girard to ask if he could recommend a young man for cashier in a bank. This discharged young man was at once named as a suitable person.

"But," said the banker, "you dismissed him."

"Yes, because he would not work on Sundays. A man who would lose his place for conscience' sake would make a trustworthy cashier." And he was appointed.—Pearl of Days.

A Swiss Funeral Custom.

Swiss funeral customs are peculiar. At the death of a person the family inserts a formal, black-edged announcement in the papers asking for sympathy, and stating that "the mourning urn" will be exhibited during certain hours on a special day. In front of the house where the person died there is placed a little black table, covered with a black cloth, on which stands a black jar. Into this the friends and acquaintances of the family drop little, black-margined visiting cards, sometimes with a few words of sympathy on them. The urn is put on the table on the day of the funeral.

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A number of persons are arranging to make the trip from this locality to see the sights at the National Capital and visit relatives and friends among the soldiers at Camp Alger, near Washington. It will be a delightful way in which to spend the Glorious Fourth. Full particulars about rates, time of trains and other details will be furnished in reply to inquiries addressed to Ticket Agent F. A. Bauchens, Lima, O., or C. L. Kimball, A. G. P. Agt., Cleveland, O.

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Excursion tickets will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines as indicated in the following paragraphs. Although concessions in fare are authorized for meetings of certain Orders, tickets may be obtained by any person whether a member of the Order or interested in the event. The reduced rates will be open to everybody.

To Mansfield, Ohio—June 27th and 28th, for State Christian Endeavor Convention. From points in Ohio only; good returning until July 1st.

To Put-in-Bay, Ohio—June 28th and 29th account State Teachers' Association Meeting. Return limit July 2d. From points in Ohio only.

To Washington, D. C.—July 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th, for the National Educational Association Meeting. Good to return July 15th, with privilege to extend return limit until August 31st.

To Chicago, Ill.—July 12th and 13th, for Young People's Christian Union, Universalist Church. Good returning July 21st, with privilege to extend until August 10th.

To Buffalo, N. Y.—July 12th, 13th, 14th and 15th good returning until July 19th, with privilege to extend until September 1, account Baptist Young People's Union International Convention.

To Saratoga, N. Y.—August 1st and 2d, account Young People's Christian Union, U. P. Church. Return limit August 10th, with privilege to extend until August 31st.

To Pittsburg, Pa.—October 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th and 13th, good returning until October 17th, account Knights Templar Triennial Conclave. Return limit may be extended until October 31st.

During the excursion season special rates will also be in effect via Pennsylvania Lines for special and local events. For particular information please apply to nearest Ticket Agent of the Pennsylvania Lines or address C. L. Kimball, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Cleveland, Ohio.

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Washington, D. C.—On July 3, 4 and 5 the C. H. & D. will sell round trip tickets at one fare.

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A NEGLECTED BRANCH.

Common Ignorance of the English Language Even Among Students.

The student completes his early training with as little knowledge of the history of his speech as he would if it were Greek, says Prof. Mark H. Liddell in Atlantic. Indeed, he often knows more about Greek than he does about English; so that later on in his educational career, when he becomes a special student of English and makes some attempt to read it in its earlier form, he fails to grasp the significance of its commonest phenomena, because he will look at them through the blue spectacles of his Hellenic culture.

The consequent ignorance of English that is to be found among the most highly educated men is amazing. The public discussions that turn on points of "etymology," pronunciation, or syntax rarely fail to reveal it. Men cavil at idioms that are as old as the language itself, and argue with one another about questions of authenticated fact until "philologist" has almost come to mean "quibbler."

What wonder that the ignorance is so widespread when so little interest is taken in the scientific study of the subject? We have now associations for the furtherance of almost every doctrine or endeavor conceivable; the collection of posiage stamps has its society, the propagation of esoteric Buddhism has its band of enthusiasts, the study of Browning's poetry has its cultus, and hundreds of other objects and aims, trivial or serious, are thrust upon the notice of the public through the organized effort of unselfish propagandists. But there is no American society or association in existence whose sole object is the dissemination of scientific knowledge of the history and structure of the language by which all such concerted action is rendered possible and effective. Nor are we better off in respect to special journals. Germany has two excellent ones devoted solely to the scientific study of English; America and England have none.

SPANISH PUNCTILIO.

Amusing Phase of Castilian Character Exhibited by a Cabinet Crisis.

The cabinet crisis which took place in Spain in 1888 exhibits an amusing phase of Spanish character. The ministerial crisis had existed almost a year when the resignation of cabinet took place as the result of a trivial question of military etiquette. The queen had left Madrid for an excursion to Valencia, which the minister of justice insisted on her making, according to the published arrangement, lest the postponement should be construed as a sign of fear of the Zorillist republicans, who had convoked a mass meeting in the same city. The Infanta Isabel, who was left to represent her, decided to take a journey also, and informed Gen. Martinez Campos that her sister, the Infanta Eaulalie, would give out the military watchword. The military governor of Madrid replied that the married infanta was not legally competent to perform that office, and that it was impossible, according to military rules, for him to receive the parole from her husband, Prince Antonio, Duc de Montpensier, who was only a captain in rank. The minister of war, who was not on good terms with the captain-general, sent a brusque telegram, ordering him to receive the password from the Princess Eulalie, whereupon Gen. Campos offered his resignation. All attempts to settle the quarrel failed and, as a majority of the cabinet sided with the captain-general, Gen. Cassola and the ministers who had supported his view resigned their portfolios. Senor Sagasta handed in the resignation of the entire cabinet to the queen regent, but subsequently, upon the latter's request, formed a new ministry.

Naming the Bicycle.

Both the velocipede and bicycle have given the French a lot of trouble to satisfactorily christen either machine. Beginning with celerifere and velosifere, there has been a progressive movement in the direction of "bicycle," bicyclette," "veloce" and "velo." The popular vehicle is also known under the name of "becane." In Spain it is velocifers, velocipedo and bicycletta. In England it is "wheel," in Germany, "farrad" or "rad." In China it is "gaugma," meaning "foreign horse," or "fei chai," "flying machine." In the same country it is also called "tzu tzun," or "carriage-that-goes-without-horse." With respect to names, however, the Flemings distance all the rest. Beginning by calling the bicycle the "snelwiel" or "voetwiel," they have developed the name into the monstrous "gewielsnelrijuoetrappeudneusdrekergestel." Those contemplating a bicycle tour in Europe had better skip Flanders or else ride around the country.

His Undying Love.

Intimate Friend—Has your husband's love grown cold?

Sarcastic Wife—O, no! He loves himself just as much now as he did when we were married 20 years ago.—Stray Stories.

BREVITIES OF FUN.

Two Points of View.—"You, sir," said the poet; "are a bad judge of poetry." "I, sir," retorted the editor, "am a judge of bad poetry."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

She—"You don't see as many women cyclists wearing bloomers as you used to." He—"No; I guess they are afraid of being enlisted."—Yonkers Statesman.

A Half Memory.—Teacher—"Who discovered America?" Street Gamin (after deep thought)—"I disremember his name, but he was a Dago."—N. Y. Weekly.

A Recommendation.—Mrs. Newed (engaging cook)—"Have you had much experience?" Cook—"Well, mum, I've worked for tin families in th' lasht two wakes."—Harlem Life.

"A strange woman rang our bell today, and asked me to lend her an umbrella." "Did she offer any security?" "Yes; she said I was just as apt to get it back as if I lent it to somebody I knew."—Puck.

In War Times.—Johnny (reading)—"Say, grandpa, what does the three r's mean?" Grandpa—"When I was a boy it meant reading, 'riting, and 'rithmatic." Johnny (disgustedly)—"Pshaw! I thought it meant Rossevelt's Rough Riders." — Brooklyn Life.

Their Style of Ammunition—"Did you say you found a large amount of fighting equipment on that newspaper man?" asked the Spanish officer. "Yes, sir. There were enough lead pencils and blank paper to have enabled us to win half a dozen victories."—Washington Star.

Taking No Chances.—Mrs. Wickwire—"If you could stop drinking if you chose, why don't you choose?" Weary Watkins—"Missis, I had a second cousin out west who had his eye shot out for refusin' a drink, an' I don't want to take no chances of meetin' his sad fate."—Indianapolis Journal.

At the Reception.—Giddy Young Thing—"Do you know that as Hamlet you reminded me very much of Booth?" Eminent Young Tragedian—"Ah, indeed?" Giddy Young Thing—"Yes; your costume was almost exactly like the one he used to wear when he played that part."—Chicago Daily News.

SCHOOLBOY DEFINITIONS.

Odd Collections of Latin and Greek Answers of a London Teacher.

English schoolboys are put into Latin and Greek at an early age, and such trifles as arithmetic, history and geography are left for later years. A teacher in a London school has collected the following gems in the way of definitions that make us wonder what text books the boys could have read.

Esau was a man who wrote fables, and who sold the copyright to a publisher for a bottle of potash.

Titus was a Roman emperor, supposed to have written the "Epistle of the Hebrews." His other name was Oates.

Oliver Cromwell was a man who was put into prison for his interference in Ireland. When he was in prison he wrote "The Pilgrim's Progress," and married a lady called Mrs. O'Shea.

Wolsey was a famous general who fought in the Crimean war, and who, after being decapitated several times, said to Cromyell: "Ah, if I had only served you as you have served me, I would not have been deserted in my old age!"

Wesley was the founder of the Wesleyan chapel, who was afterward called Lord Wellington. A monument was erected to him in Hyde Park, but it has been taken down lately.

Hamlet was weakminded; fond of study. But was too weak to fulfill his duty which the ghost had told him. He was very good to his mother. He profanes madness, he really only puts it on, but some people say he was mad. One day when he was fighting, the king asked him if he would have something to drink, and he had put poison in it, and Hamlet said he would wait, the queen took it and then she falls down dead. Hamlet immediately stabs his father and drinks the poison and dies.

Explain the words fort and fortress. A fort is a place to put men in, and a fortress a place to put women in.

The two chief volcanoes in Europe? Sodom and Gomorrah. — Golden Days.

Paying the Penalty of Greatness.

"How's your brother, Tommy?"

"Ill in bed, miss; he's hurt himself."

"How did he do that?"

"We were playing at who could lean farthest out of a railway carriage window, and he won."—Stray Stories.

Cloth of Wonderful Durability.

The cloth of the old Egyptians was so good that, although it has been used for thousands of years as wrappings of the mummies, the Arabs of to-day wear it. It is all of linen, the ancient Egyptians considering wool unclean.—Leisure Hours.

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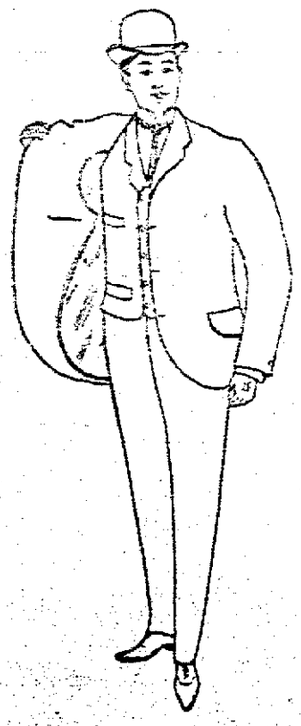

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ABOUT THE CITY.

Late Local News in a Condensed Form For Busy Readers.

Phil Cantieny has taken a position as salesman at A. Watson's grocery store.

The residents of Rushmore propose holding an Eisteddfod on the first day of September.

Barney Bowers, of East Market street, is laid up, suffering from a badly sprained ankle.

The Odd Fellows will observe their memorial day this year next Sunday at the Congregational Church.

Messrs. Harris and Hoskins, of Wapakoneta, and Adam Vermoth, of Delphos, were received into the Elk lodge last night.

The Calumet Club has disbanded, and their handsome rooms in the Metropolitan block are now occupied by Attorneys Lamison & Thrift.

Messrs. G. Day and T. W. Dobbins were reelected trustees of the Woodlawn Cemetery association, at the meeting held a day or two ago.

Phil Bloom, well known in this city, was married to Miss Jennie L. Yahl, a St. Marys young lady, yesterday. They will reside in Wapakoneta, the home of the groom.

The races at Leipsic yesterday were largely attended. In the 2:50 pace, T. W. Roberts, Long Dang's horse, won fourth money. News Girl won first. Ed Baker was the starter.

W. W. Argue, while at work at one of the wells of Roth, Argue & Co., was slightly injured by being struck over the eye by an iron lever, yesterday. The injury is not serious.

An alarm was sounded from box 42, corner Eureka and the D. & M., about 4:30 yesterday afternoon, and the department made a run. Burning rubbish and the plank walk near the Star Iron Works had caught from the psarks of a passing locomotive.

OIL NEWS.

There was no change in the price of oil today.

Gibbs & McGregor, all featured shows, South Main street tonight. Admission 10c.

Notice.

There will be a meeting of the executive board of the Lima Trades and Labor Council in their hall in the Gazette block this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Business of importance. Full attendance is desired.

A little boy asked for a bottle of "get up in the morning as fast as you can," the druggist recognized a household name for "DeWitt's Little Early Risers," and gave him a bottle of those famous little pills for constipation, sick headache, liver and stomach trouble. H. F. Vortkamp, northeast cor. Main and North.

Don't fail to see Gibbs & McGregor's world's famous one ring circus, South Main street, tonight. Admission 10c.

Dr. P. H. Brooks has returned to Lima in pretty good health. He will be pleased to see his old friends. Office in the Faurot block, fourth flat. Come up on elevator. jn 13-1m

PERSONAL.

Late Records of Limaites Abroad and Visitors in the City.

Shelby Dowhard is in Mackinac.

W. R. Mehaffey is home from Cleveland.

Frank McCoy and wife are visiting in Chicago.

Mrs. J. R. Ashton is visiting relatives in St. Marys.

W. B. Richie went to Toledo on business this afternoon.

T. A. Robinson has returned from a business trip to Warren, O.

Prof. W. L. Gillam left today for Wooster to spend the summer vacation.

Bob Christie and Charley Stolzenbach are home from a trip to Bellefontaine.

Rev. R. J. Thomson and family go to their cottage at Put-in-Bay Monday for the summer.

Mrs. Cloyd Brotherton returned home yesterday after a two weeks' visit in the North.

Clem Baxter is home from Washington, where he spent a few days with his brothar Don.

Miss Flo McGuire, of Richwood, O., is visiting her uncle, G. P. McGuire, and other Lima friends.

John Amstutz, Horace H. Murray, M. M. Murray, George H. Lewis and R. B. Day are callers in the city today.

Col. and Mrs. I. T. Moore and daughter, Miss Harriet, will leave tomorrow for a summer vacation on the lakes.

Miss Daisy Parmenter is expected home from Battle Creek, Michigan, where she has been for the past few months.

Mrs. D. E. Fritz, of South Elizabeth street, who was in attendance at the G. A. R. encampment at Mt. Vernon, has returned home.

Miss Gertrude Finley returned yesterday from Visitation Convent, Washington, D. C., where she has been in attendance the past year.

Messrs. Owen Francis, T. W. Dobbins, Ham Marshall, Tony Bressler and Col. Taylor have returned from the G. A. R. encampment at Mt. Vernon.

Wm. Melville and W. K. Boone were among the members of Shawnee Commandery who witnessed the inspection of the Findlay Commandery last night.

Van Wert Bulletin: Mrs. E. W. Ingledue, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Keiper and Mrs. J. A. Butters were called to Lima, yesterday, by the serious illness of a relative . . . Miss Nell Richey, of Lima, is visiting Misses Mary Bonnewitz and Myrtle Richey.

WATSON'S WEATHER.

Showers tonight. Saturday cloudy.

R. A. M. Notice.

Begular meeting of Lima Chapter, No. 49, R. A. M., this evening.

W. LANDIS, C. E. LANPHIER,
Sec'y. H. P.

Gibbs & McGregor's old time one ring circus, South Main street, tonight. Admission 10c.

The farmer, the mechanic and the bicycle rider are liable to unexpected cuts and bruises. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best thing to keep on hand. It heals quickly, and is a well known cure for piles. H. F. Vortkamp, northeast cor. Main and North.

Don't fail to read the want ads. in THE NEWS. You will find something there of interest to you. tf

THE COURTS.

Judge Sheets Will Render His Decision in The Gregg Case.

Judge Sheets announced this morning that he would render his decision in the Gregg vs. Lima Northern and other cases at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

We go to press before the decisions are made and consequently cannot give the facts.

THERE WERE NO FORGERIES.

The case of The Citizens' Bank, at Spencerville, vs. James H. Herrington, was decided last evening in the common pleas court. This case is one of great importance as it involves a number of other cases. The action was brought by the bank against Herrington and Jos. T. Benedum, who appeared as surety on notes of the former. Benedum has made the claim that his name on these notes was forgeries. The court held, after hearing the evidence, that the signatures were genuine and gave judgment, with costs, to the plaintiff. The decision is important for the foet that the same parties have claimed the signatures to a number of other notes have been forgeries. D. C. Henderson represented the plaintiff in the litigation.

TWO CONTRACTS AWARDED.

The County Commissioners were in session yesterday and allowed two contracts. The first in the matter of the building of a stone arch over Flat Fork on East Second street in Delphos, and upon motion of Burns, the contract was let to Henry Seitz at $2.85 per 25 foot perch.

The second contract awarded was to the Canton Bridge company to build an iron bridge over Turkey Run in German township, near Herring, the bridge to be 33 feet long, and will cost $330.

GREGG VS. LIMA NORTHERN.

In Judge Sheets court today is being heard the condemnation case of Randolph Gregg vs. The Lima Northern Railroad. It is another of the old ones carried over. Judge Richie is hearing a jury trial.

WITH WATER BUCKETS

The Fire, Back of the Cincinnati Block, Was Extinguished.

Early this morning, about 5 o'clock, a fire started back of Dr. McIndoe's office in the Cincinnati block. The fire burned briskly, but employes of the block extinguished the blaze with buckets of water.

Gibbs & McGregor's olympic R. R. shows, South Main street, tonight. Admission 10c.

The most delicious things on earth are Pim-olas. Get them at Watson's.

CLEVELAND, O., June 17.—The republicans of the 21st Ohio district Thursday nominated Theodore E. Burton for congress. There was no opposition.

Hawaiian Resolutions in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—A few minutes a ter the senate met Thursday the resolutions passed Wednesday by the house annexing Hawaii were transmitted. Davis moved the first and second reading and that they be referred to the foreign relations committee. The motion was carried without opposition. Senator Lodge said Thursday morning that he expects the bill to pass the senate.

ONE FACTION

Selects its Delegates for Republican State Convention.

Harmonious Was the Gathering, the Delegate From Marion Alone Objecting to the Proceedings.

In compliance to the call issued by the chairman of the Republican Central Committee of Allen county, that body met in the Board of Election rooms at 1:30 this afternoon. Chairman Vertner presided and called the meeting to order.

Secretary Blank was absent (for various reasons) and the committee elected S. L. Ashton, of Spencerville, temporary secretary in Blank's absence.

At roll call it was found that nineteen members of the committee were present, as follows: Mason, Johns, Norman, E. F. Davis, D. B. Miller, M. E. Boysell, J. D. Ward, John Boysell, Leathermann, Fenton, S. L. Ashton, Wm. Boogher, Wm. Edgecomb, G. W. Simons, J. W. Lutz (proxy), H. W. Lewis, R. D. Jones, S. R. Vertner and W. A. Triplet.

The chairman announced that the object of the meeting was to appoint seven delegates and seven alternates to the state convention. Owing to Blank's blank appearance at roll call, it was moved to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the last meeting. Mr. Rumbaugh objected on the ground that the record of the last meeting would be necessary should any contest arise at the convention. The motion was withdrawn and a drafted copy of the minutes were read by the secretary. These minutes were approved; carried.

Mr. Ashton said: "As we have a traitor (our secretary) in camp, who stole the minutes of our last meeting, we thought to have members sign a resolution certifying to the correctness and trueness of the minutess."

The resolution was passed and signed, L. B. Miller and R. D. Jones refusing.

After this formality, the chair announced nominations of delegates in order. Mr. Rumbaugh presented the slate, which was as follows a yea and nay vote being taken:

Delegates—D. C. Richmond, J. B. Vail, G. W. Simmons, of Lima; W. T. Leatherman, of Harrod; William Boogher, of Hume; Frederick Fenton, of Bluffton; William Cochran, jr., of Delphos.

THE ALTERNATES

were alike chosen by a broadside from the slate manipulators, resulting in the following selections, which were unanimous:

Dr S. A. Hitchcock, Elida; W. T. Miller, Monroe; C. V. Rumbaugh, Jackson; M. E. Boysell, Lima; S. L. Ashton, Spencerville; C. R. Jordan, Lima; M. L. Johnson, Harrod.

J. D. Ward moved to have the present committee appoint central committeemen for the ensuing year at this meeting. This motion was carried unanimously.

At this juncture Mr. Rumbaugh arose and gave decided and patriotic reasons why the committee should select the committeemen for next year. "The Foraker and McKisson factions over the state are trying to throw the party into the hands of traitors. We are taking this action for the best interests of the best party in this nation. I have no compromise for any traitor of the Republican party either in Allen county or in Ohio."

The committee then proceeded to select the committeemen, too late, however, for publication.

M. L. Yocum, Cameron, Pa., says "I was a sufferer for ten years, trying most all kinds of pile remedies, but without success. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was recommended to me. I used one box. It has effected a permanent cure." As a permanent cure for piles DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has no equal. H. F. Vortkamp, northeast cor. Main and North.

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A QUERY.

A subscriber has written THE NEWS asking which of the navies has the largest calibre gun. THE NEWS, at presnt, is unable to answer the question, but will do so later on.

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CARROLL & COONEY.

LIGHTNING TRANSFORMATION.

Wooed, Won and Lost it Thirty Days —Wedded Bliss Ends in Divorce Suit.

Concerning a well known Lima character, the Wapak Democrat says: The erratic Josie Jones, better known as Josie Coil, thinks herself unfortunate if a week goes by without newspaper notoriety. Some time ago she interfered with the pleasures of Harry Keller, who was getting gay with the fair sex generally, by announcing she was his lawful wife, bound to him by all the sacred ties of a marriage ceremony, and made his life so miserable that he hastily fled for Canada; forgetting in his excitement to pay a good sized board bill.

This may have grieved Josie, but if it did well she hid all signs of her sorrow, and no one suggested that she would die of a broken heart. Soon after Harry,s disappearance she fell in with E. M. Jones, a St. Marys saloonkeeper. To be seen was to love; both were infatuated. Jones loved Josie, and Josie swore by all that was good that he was the only man on earth for her. That same night, May 10, 1898, they were wed, vowing to cling to each other with an unfaltering cling until death did them part. The beautiful marriage ceremony was performed by Mayor Herrich and it was his initiation in the branch of his official duties. He possibly lacked experience in tying nuptial knots, but he was so successful in his attempt that it requires the usual procedure and the usual number of lawyers to untie it.

The once happy husband has decided to sever the bond that united him with Josie and through his attorneys, Stueve & Connaughton, on June 8th filed a petition for divorce. He alleges that Josie is not faithful and in the light of Josie's past who is to doubt Jones' statement?

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